

The Springfield Sun.

DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY

VOLUME IV.

SPRINGFIELD, KY., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1908.

NUMBER 26

EDITORIAL

SPRINGFIELD SUN, ROGERS GORE, EDITOR.

"WIDE TO HIM THAT BUILDETH A TOWN WITH BLOOD, AND STABILIZETH A CITY BY INIQUITY."

DEMOCRATS.

A county Democratic mass convention will be held in Springfield next Saturday afternoon, at which time delegates will be elected to the State convention, to be held in Lexington on June 11. Democrats who live in the country should try to make it convenient to attend the county convention, and take part in its proceedings. By so doing you will assist in nominating Mr. Bryan for President.

ABSURD CONCLUSIONS.

A friend has sent to The Sun an editorial from the Southwestern Development News, published in Muskogee, Oklahoma, in which we find a few mild thrusts at Mr. Bryan.

The editorial tells us that "voting for a President is a very serious business and hundreds of thousands of Bryan's admirers will applaud his written and oral utterances and vote for the other fellow." The first part of this sentence is very true; "voting for a President is a serious business." Every intelligent man will admit that that is true, but why should we believe that hundreds of thousands of admirers will applaud Bryan and vote for the other fellow? Let's see! In 1896 the total "counted vote" for Mr. Bryan was 6,502,925; the total "counted vote" for Mr. McKinley was 7,104,779. Bryan received a million and a half more votes in 1896 than Cleveland received in 1884. In 1888 and in 1892 Cleveland's vote lacked a million or more of reaching the Bryan vote in 1896. Do not these figures make it appear that hundreds of thousands of Bryan's admirers not only applauded him but voted for him? It is admitted by many people, who are now friendly toward Mr. Bryan, but who were unfriendly toward him in 1896, that "hundreds of thousands of Bryan's admirers" who applauded his written and oral utterances, and who voted for him, did not get their votes counted. The city of Louisville, where the Bryan ticket did not have one election officer, gave about 12,000 majority for McKinley. It is now said by some of those who helped to put up the nefarious job, that Bryan carried Louisville by a majority of not less than 5,000. In this manner they "voted for the other fellow."

A little further along the News proclaims this "serious" question: "And then how can Bryan hope to win in 1908 when he failed in 1896 and 1907?" If this question were answered by saying "the third time is charm" there would be just as much sense in the answer as there is in the question. The editor of The News is doubtless not aware that the cow tried to jump over the moon seventeen times before she finally succeeded. The "logic" of the editor of the Southwestern Development News is: "If at first you don't succeed—YOU MUST NOT try, try again."

And the News uses two more interesting points:

"Then again many Democrats claim that the Republicans have stolen their campaign measures including regulation of trusts, railroads and corporations, tariff reductions, immigration restrictions and inflation. Assuming this to be true will the Republicans not procure Democratic votes? So that if the Republicans have usurped Democratic principles in addition to their own which the Democrats in turn have not appropriated how can the Democrats hope to gain in the arrangement?"

Certainly "many Democrats claim that the Republicans have stolen their campaign measures." They not only "claim," but Democrats will swear to it upon a stack of bibles. The thief has been caught with the goods upon him. "Assuming this to be true will

the Republicans not procure Democratic votes?" May we ask why?—why would a Democrat vote the Republican ticket because the Republican party stole the Democratic party's campaign measures? Such reasoning is absurd—it has not a semblance of logic in it. In appropriating Democratic measures to its own use the Republican party becomes an imitator and a pretender. Democrats will not vote for the candidates of such a party. The conclusion of the News is that since Democrats have been robbed they will pat the robber upon the back and bid him God-speed.

We infer from the latter lines of the above paragraph that the editor of the News believes that since the Republicans advocate some Democratic principles and some Republican principles, and that since the Democrats advocate naught but Democratic principles, it will be easy to persuade Democrats to vote the Republican ticket. From such reasoning it is evident that the Oklahoma editor believes it possible to catch a great many Democrats "a-comin' and a-gwine." May we not suggest that Democrats will not be "ketchin'" with "mongrel bait"? They refuse to "bite" except when the bait is of one blood.

MR. KNOTT'S ADVICE.

Mr. Knott, of the Louisville Evening Post, is very actively engaged at present in giving Democrats advice—telling the boys what they should do and what they should not do. He wants one wing of the Democratic party to capture the Lexington convention, and he then would advise the successful wing to put on box top boots and proceed to kick on the other wing out of the convention. Mr. Knott objects to a recognition of McCreary, and he is very much concerned lest the party make the very fatal (?) mistake of recognizing Mr. Watterson and The Courier-Journal, and Mr. Haldeman and The Times. He undertakes to show why a black eye should be given to about 30,000 Democrats, and suggests that all the sweets of the convention be poured on the pancakes of "just a few of our loyal fellow citizens."

Mr. Knott's effort in this direction is wasted bitterness. He is barking up the wrong tree; he is yelling "sick 'em," to 200,000 Democrats, among whom there is not a single hound. That Lexington convention is going to be beautifully harmonious—a howdy-do, hand-shaking, God-bless-you gathering.

Says the Hartford Herald:

"There is hardly a Republican in Ohio county who will not admit that if there were any county officers to be chosen this year, the Democrats would win by an old-fashioned majority. Then why not make this sentiment unanimous and carry this county for Bryan in the same way? It would make it possible to do it over again—Democratic—next year. And the next."

And Ohio county is from 500 to 800 Republican.

The appropriations authorized by Congress amount to \$1,068,804,894.

In Debt To Mr. Johnson.

Washington in particular, and the Nation in general, owe a debt of gratitude to the Hon. Ben Johnson, of Bardonia, for his efficient instrumentality in securing legislation for the extending of the car lines to the Union Station, which in its long-distance isolation from traffic has been a bugbear and a laughing stock. Mr. Johnson, a member of the District Committee, in his little five-minute speech upon the much mooted point, in a direct and forcible way so clearly presented the case that the extension was conceded at once, and the natives rejoice.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and their three attractive young daughters have won for themselves a high place in national and social regard during their debutant year at the Capital. Both entertained and entertaining, they have been important factors in the brilliant affairs of the season. Mr. Johnson's handsome "scarlet runner" of a Knox touring car is one of the smart machines of Washington. Mrs. Johnson displays real Kentucky hospitality in the frequency with which she shares its delights with her friends.

SOUND ADVICE.

Mr. Watterson, in an editorial in the Courier-Journal gives the following sound advice to Democrats:

If there be any Democrats in Kentucky other than those who want something for themselves—who are in it for what they expect to get out of it—and we cannot doubt not only that there are, but that they constitute a great majority, the whole warp and woof of the Democracy of God's country being still sound and clean—they had better get busy because there are forces burrowing beneath the surface which have no other aim than the sacrifice of the vote of Kentucky in the coming Presidential election, to their own wholly selfish and purely local ends.

They are not very deep. They may be readily identified. Their trade-mark is printed on a cardboard and tied to their ear. It reads simply "Down with the Courier-Journal."

If the Courier-Journal has not been always a deterrent to evil counselors—who are sometimes both deaf and blind and bent upon self-slaughter—it has on occasion restrained evil counselors whilst there was yet time to save the party from destruction. It is trying to do this now. Upon its success will depend the future of Democracy in Kentucky, its usefulness as an enlightened and conservative power in the Government of the Commonwealth, its vitality as militant and triumphant leader in the work of rescuing great material interests from threatened ruin and of bringing order and law from a state of chaos, brought about by political children playing with fire.

It would be truly pitiful, and altogether characteristic of the ignoble spirit of faction, if we should lose the coming Presidential election in the loss of Kentucky's Electoral Vote, surrendered in advance to ambition and greed and hate, generated by lust for power and revenge.

Yet that is the banquet which the implacable enemies of Democracy are eagerly looking to see spread at the coming Lexington Convention. If any one asks "Who are they?" we have only to answer, "Read the newspapers." If any one asks us "How do they propose to wreck us?" we answer, "By the introduction of extraneous matters pertaining to old quarrels and local conditions, throwing reason out of the window to exploit feudism and friction and folly upon the floor." And, if still further we be asked, "What shall we do to stop it?" we answer, "Go to the Primaries next Saturday and send nobody to Lexington who will not get there having but one thought before him, the unification of the party in the State, the nomination of Mr. Bryan at Denver, and the election of the Presidential Ticket led by Mr. Bryan in November."

That is all that needs to be done at Lexington. He who goes there with knife whetted to wreak revenge, is at least a fool, if not a traitor; he who goes carrying a cleaver to slaughter the Presidential Campaign in the shambles of self-interest seeking reprisal, is all a traitor and partly a fool; and he who goes to interpolate State issues of any sort, is an impracticable, who should be gently led to the door and told to wait outside until the Nation is served.

The Courier-Journal is not remotely in issue. It will be represented at Lexington solely by its Correspondents and Reporters. Upon every public question of the time its attitude has been explicitly set forth, and is known of all men.

It seeks nothing but common ground broad enough for every Democrat in the State to stand upon. It has freely yielded its objections to Mr. Bryan for the sake of this common ground. It has no secrets and no reserves. It has already poured a flood of sunshine into the Democratic heart throughout the Union. It is in perfect sympathy and

accord with the party leaders everywhere. Mr. Bryan at their head. It looks to do great, effective work in the campaign before us. It proposes to throw the flash-lights of publicity into the dark places of the enemy in our front, and it has the right to ask that whilst it is doing this there shall be no dark places organized in the interest of factionism, and set up in its rear; no comrades in name seeking personal and ulterior ends; no yoke-mate who will not work to harness; and no jack-o'-lantern side issues appealing to ignorance and passion got up at the behest of a clique that graft and thrift may follow double-dealing and chicanery.

Apart from the elimination of these sinister agencies the Courier-Journal wants nothing. That elimination it feels it has reason to claim and expect from the mass and body of the party whose wisdom and sense of fair play should need no urging at a moment so critical, involving a contingency so obvious.

Reflecting Democrats have only to cast about them, to read the papers and note what is going on—marking the connections and recalling the antecedents—to see clearly the way ahead. Shall it lead into a garden of roses, gladdened by songs of love and peace and fellowship, or into a briar patch, infested by yellow-jackets, maddened by the voice of zealots and the hiss of serpents? That will depend upon the good sense and good feeling, which still abide in Democracy. And this is why we say that the rank and file had better get a move on them next Saturday, the 6th of June, preparatory to the ensuing Thursday, the 11th of June, when, in the beautiful little Capital of the Bluegrass Country, may be decided for years ahead of us the fate of Good Government and the Democratic party not only in the State, but in the Nation.

Preacher Turns Officer.

LaRue County Herald: Andy DeSpain, residing in Green county, is "putting up" with Jailer Brown for a term of twenty days to satisfy a fine against him which was assessed in Judge Howell's court Monday morning on the charge of disturbing public worship. DeSpain, in company with several other young men of his neighborhood, visited the Pleasant Ridge church Sunday and during the progress of the Sunday School in the afternoon proceeded to raise a disturbance on the outside. Boisterous language, interspersed with oaths, was indulged in and when they were remonstrated with, DeSpain, it is said, pulled a pistol from his pocket and began firing, creating consternation among those who had gathered for the purpose of worshiping.

Rev. R. L. Warren, pastor of the church, who was present, dismissed the congregation, and going to the outside, took young DeSpain in custody, and turned him over to Sheriff Joe Howell, who brought him to Hodgenville Monday morning. It is stated that an attempt was made by several of DeSpain's friends to rescue him from the minister, but the latter refused to be "bullied" and held on to his prisoner until he was turned over to the Sheriff. Warrants will be issued, it is stated, charging the friends of DeSpain with interfering with Rev. Warren while preaching DeSpain under arrest.

Crop Conditions In Hardin.

Elizabethtown News: It is little more than two weeks now to wheat harvest and there never was in Hardin county such a prospect for a record breaking crop. It has headed out well. The heads are long and are well filled. There is, no fly or rust and if it is seasonable from now until harvest the crop will be far the greatest ever gathered in the county. It has been a phenomenal season for grasses of all kinds and as hay is one of the most valued crops raised there is fine money ahead for our farmers. At the end of this week practically all of the corn crop will be planted except in the river bottoms. Much of it is coming up well and the hot weather now is just what the crop needs. It is the latest planting for a number of years, but this does not necessarily mean a poor crop. Taking everything in consideration the farmers have everything to make them happy and when the crops are garnered they will stamp out all talk of hard times.

FROM BITE OF

RATTLESNAKE

Charles Conn Becomes Raving Maniac Before Death Relieves Him.

Louisville Times: From the effects of a rattlesnake bite Charles Conn, twenty-seven years of age, a traveling salesman for the American Law Book Company and prominent Mason, of Lexington, Ky., died a raving maniac this morning at 4 o'clock at the Deaconess Hospital. Conn was bitten last night by a huge rattler on exhibition in the Mary Anderson Theater cigar store and all efforts to save his life were in vain.

As he lay writhing in agony on the floor, Conn begged the bystanders to amputate his arm, exclaiming, "Boys, it is all up with me, don't be afraid. I won't mind the pain." The horrified spectators stood as if paralyzed and finally in his delirium, the man took out his pocket knife and began to cut away the flesh from the tiny wounds, but the knife soon fell from his helpless hand.

Witnessed by scores of persons on Fourth avenue who peered through the glass show case the weird and terrible struggle between Conn and the deadly reptile took place. Bitten three times by the monster, Conn still struggled on holding the reptile by the throat until the panic-stricken people in the store made their escape in terror.

According to the story of witnesses Charles Conn, accompanied by a friend, Eugene Osler, a drummer for a New York firm, with whom he roomed at the Ruler's Hotel, entered the cigar store shortly after 9 o'clock, and after purchasing cigars viewed the snake which was on exhibition in a small wooden box near the cigar case. Edward Ries, a clerk at the store, who owned the snake, warned Conn to be careful of the reptile.

Conn, who was a former civil engineer and who had lived in Arizona, only laughed at the warning, saying that he was a snake charmer and that no rattler could best him. With these words he withdrew the reptile from its cage and, holding it by the throat, exhibited its length to those present. The snake struggled in his clutches and the whirr of its seven rattlers frightened the audience. Conn then replaced the snake in the box and a few persons gathered and talked of the incident.

Before any one had recovered from the first exhibition by the amateur snake charmer, he again drew the reptile from its cage and allowed it to coil about his right arm. Hardly noticing it, he began to chat with the men in the store of his experience in the West with rattlers, when suddenly the writhing object struggled from his grasp and plunged its fangs into his right hand.

With a cry of pain he twisted the snake through the air and threw it far across the room, where it alighted on the shoulders of a bystander, who shrieked in terror. Realizing what he had done Conn ran to the aid of the terror-stricken man, and then began the struggle between man and reptile. After a few seconds, which seemed hours to the terrified onlookers, Conn released the man uninjured, but was himself bitten twice in the arm by the infuriated rattler. Throwing it to the floor, he attempted to kill it, but growing weaker he swooned and leaned against the cigar stand for support. The snake for the time made its escape behind some boxes.

Conn was carried to the cafe in the basement of the building where nearly a pint of whisky was poured down his throat. Dr. John G. Clem, whose office is in the Atherton building, was immediately summoned, and arrived in three minutes, but by this time the unfortunate man lay on a bench in a state of collapse. The poison had already permeated his system and the awful agony was apparent to everyone. Weakly he raised his voice and begged the physician to do something to alleviate his pain. Dr. J. Raymond Minor was called in to assist Dr. Clem, and an automobile was brought and the man taken to the Deaconess Hospital with breakneck speed.

At the hospital the physicians opened his veins and injected strong solutions of permanganate of potassium in an effort to neutralize the poison. Although Conn recovered complete consciousness, he became a raving maniac and had to be strapped in bed, where the com-

bined strength of nurses and physicians was barely sufficient to keep him. The effects of the poison were awful to behold. The eyes of the unfortunate man contracted until they looked like mere beads, while his tongue was swollen to five times its normal size and protruded from his mouth.

Gradually the struggles of the man became weaker and weaker and the physicians did all in their power to stimulate heart action, but to no avail, and Conn passed away this morning at 4 o'clock.

BURLEY SOCIETY

Disposes of 4,000,000 Pounds of Tobacco.

Lexington, Ky., June 1.—As a result of a conference between F. R. Toe Water, of this city, manager of the Kentucky leaf department of the American Tobacco Company, R. K. Smith, of New York, managing director, and a number of purchasing agents of the company, the American Tobacco Company has concluded a deal with the sales committee of the Burley Tobacco Society by which they will purchase immediately 4,000,000 pounds of pooled tobacco at the regular price fixed by the society. This purchase embraces all of the pooled tobacco of the 1906 crop below the \$14 grade. The pooled crop of 1906 above this grade was not included in the purchase, as the Burley Association desires to give independent manufacturers another chance to make purchases for supplying their wants for the ensuing year. The cheaper grades of tobacco which were sold by the deal today to the American Tobacco Company have been in great demand by the independent manufacturers, but a member of the executive committee of the association said today that the independents had been given a fair chance at these grades and the society could not afford to hold them longer, as the growers are becoming insistent for money. Besides these grades can be supplied from the 1907 crop, not a pound of which has yet been sold and none of which will be sold until the 1906 crop has been entirely disposed of. It is rumored here to-day that the American Tobacco Company is now attempting to arrange a deal by which it will purchase the entire pooled crop of 1907 and that after the independents manufacturers have been given a fair opportunity to buy the remainder of the 1906 crop, and to then supply their needs from the crop of 1907, the Burley Society will close out to the American Tobacco Company the entire holdings of pooled tobacco.

Want Corn.

The Lexington Leader says although much of this year's corn crop is not yet all planted, owing to the lateness of the season, speculators have already appeared in Central Kentucky and are buying up the 1908 crop in advance at a figure that indicates the farmers will have no cause to complain of the low prices of this staple this year. The offer of \$2.50 a barrel, delivered at gathering time this fall, is being made by these buyers, which according to a well known farmer, is equivalent to \$3.50 in the crib. Contracts have already been closed with a number of farmers in some neighborhoods for their 1908 corn crop at the \$2.50 quotation, one prominent farmer contracting to sell 500 barrels at that figure. There is still a good deal of old corn in this county, as the open winter did not require that so much be fed to stock. This is quoted at \$3.75 to \$4 a barrel and a good deal has recently been sold at that price, which is higher than it has been in this section for years.

Will Return Money.

Valentine, Neb., May 31.—Of the report printed in New York to the effect that Thomas F. Ryan had given \$20,000 to the Nebraska campaign fund four years ago, Mr. Ryan gave the Associated Press the following statement:

I shall reach home next Wednesday night and will then read the text of the charge made. If Ryan contributed directly or indirectly to the Nebraska campaign fund I will see that the money is returned to him.

The Springfield Sun, \$1.00 per year. The Springfield Sun, \$1.00 per year. The Springfield Sun, \$1.00 per year.

The Campaign Is On!

WHO WILL BE PRESIDENT

? ? ?

TO FORM YOUR OPINIONS AND KEEP IN TOUCH WITH THE PROGRESS OF THE CAMPAIGN, YOU WILL NEED FIRST-CLASS NEWSPAPERS.

DAILY COURIER-JOURNAL

Until December 1, 1908, and THE SUN One Year for \$2.00.

OR

DAILY LOUISVILLE TIMES

Until December 1, 1908, and THE SUN One Year for \$2.00.

This gives you a live metropolitan paper through the campaign and the election. Order today, as subscription will start with issue of day order is received. No back numbers can be sent.

\$2 The **Springfield Sun** FOR ONE YEAR, AND **\$2** Either of above **Dailies** UNTIL DECEMBER 1, 1908, FOR ONLY

This special campaign offer is in effect only during JUNE, JULY and AUGUST, and no subscriptions will be received at the reduced rate after August 31 under any circumstances. SEND YOUR SUBSCRIPTION ORDERS TO

THE SUN, Springfield, Ky.

Legislative Candidates.

Marion Falcon: Many Democrats of Marion county will be glad to learn of the fact that Mr. Taylor M. Estes has consented to become a candidate for the Legislature subject to the action of the Democratic party. Mr. Estes is well known over the county, having been born and reared in old Marion. His business ability and integrity of character are well known to all—while only those closely associated with him know of his many acts of kindness to the needy and distressed. If Mr. Estes is successful Marion county will be well represented.

At the earnest solicitation of friends and voters from different sections of Marion county, Mr. Henry T. Garth, of Bradfordsville, has decided to make the race for the Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Mr. Garth was born and raised in this county, is well known and popular, and is at present Sheriff of Marion county. He is a good business man, a fine mixer

and if chosen by the people will ably represent them.

NOT DEAD YET.



Grandpa—English a dead language? Why should you think that, my boy? Willie Sharp—I've so often heard of it being murdered grandpa, that I thought it must be dead now.

Bitten By a Rattlesnake.

Elizabethtown Mirror: The nine-year-old son of Mr. Joe Edelin, residing on Muldraugh Hill, was bitten by a rattlesnake Sunday on the "calf" of his left leg. The injured limb assumed the proportion of his stomach and his life was despaired of for awhile. Dr. Waddell was summoned and administered remedies. The little fellow drank a pint of whisky without any visible effects. Chickens which were killed and applied to the wound turned green. Dr. Waddell cauterized the wound and administered internal antidotes, and it is now thought he will recover.

Great Success.

F. P. Clay, Jr., Paris, Ky., says: "I have had great success with Bourbon Poultry Cure. On several occasions have cured chickens that were too sick to walk or stand up. Have lost but one old chicken this year." Sold by all druggists.

Kentucky Fair Dates.

The following are the dates fixed for holding the Kentucky Fairs for 1908 as far as reported. Officers of fairs are requested to report to us any omissions or corrections of dates:

Stanford, July 22—3 days.
Georgetown, July 28—5 days.
Winchester, August 4—4 days.
Danville, August 5—3 days.
Lexington, August 10—5 days.
Uniontown, August 11—5 days.
Burkesville, August 11—4 days.
Broadhead, August 12—3 days.
Springfield, August 12—4 days.
Shepherdsville, August 18—4 days.
Lawrenceburg, August 18—4 days.
Carroll, Gallatin, Owen, Tri-County Fair, Sanders, August 19—4 days.
Vanceburg, August 19—4 days.
Ewing, August 20—3 days.
London, August 25—4 days.
Elizabethtown, August 25—3 days.
Burlington, August 26—4 days.
Germantown, August 26—4 days.
Moretown, August 27—3 days.
Somerset, September 1—4 days.
Hardinsburg, September 1—3 days.
Fern Creek, September 2—4 days.
Monticello, September 8—4 days.
Hodgenville, September 8—3 days.
Glasgow, September 9—4 days.

Worthy Prayer.

Though I am poor, send me to carry some cheer to those who are poorer, some cheer to those who are lonelier * * * and light thou my Christmas candle at the gladness of an innocent and grateful heart.—Henry Van Dyke.

CREATED A BRISK DEMAND

French Scientists Responsible for Fad That Caused a Famine in Blue Dishes.

"It is hard for merchants and manufacturers to foresee the fancies of the public," said the proprietor of a large New York store. "Take the demand for blue fruit dishes, for example. All of a sudden, about six months ago, housekeepers all over town began to ask for fruit dishes of glass or china in various shades of blue. There were only a few such dishes on the market. The supply was soon exhausted, and before another consignment could be secured our clerks were pestered to death by importunate women who wanted to know why on earth we didn't keep in stock plenty of those blue dishes. Finally we investigated the source of this craze for blue dishes, and found that it originated in the statement of French scientists that that color, on account of certain action of the rays of light, helps to keep fruit fresh. Whether there is any truth in the theory I can't pretend to say, but the women evidently have faith in it and are backing up their belief in a most substantial manner."

FORBEARING.



Jones—Say, old man, you look like a forbearing animal with that big fur coat on.

Smith—Well, a man has to be very forbearing when he runs an auto like mine. Forbearance and patience are (outside of cuss words) the most important words in an autoist's vocabulary.

THE CARE OF TILING.

The home of tiling is Italy. There it is used for hallways, dining rooms or bedrooms, and always it is in perfect condition, shining, smooth, and unspotted, as it should be. Inquiry brought forth the information that soap and water are never used, but linseed oil and turpentine are mixed and applied frequently with a stiff brush. This dry, the floors are polished with wax.

The Italian tiling is mostly the mosaic work on a coarser scale, or else concrete, and the secret of taking care of it is well worth knowing.

THE WRONG ONE.

Mr. Gunston took two cigars from his pocket, carefully selected one and handed the other to his guest.

"Fine cigars," he remarked, striking a match. "Two for a quarter."

The guest pulled a light into his cigar and blew a cloud of smoke into the air.

"Two for a quarter?" he asked.

"Yes," replied Mr. Gunston, proudly.

"Sorry I didn't get the 20-cent one," remarked the guest, sadly.

DOESN'T SEEM TO HELP.

"I am suffering from kleptomania."

"How long have you had it?"

"I haven't had it at all, it is my well-to-do customers who have it; wouldn't it be possible to have them take something for it?"

"That is usually the trouble with these suffering from kleptomania, they take too much for it."—Hous-ton Post.

SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT.

Borus (struggling author)—I was surprised at the favorable reception accorded the little farce comedy I wrote last month. But what did your dramatic critic mean by suggesting that I write another one before I retire?

Nagrus (literary editor)—He didn't put it quite that way. He said you ought to write one more and then quit.

A LA CARTE.

"I received your majesty's message," said the new missionary. "Did I understand you would do me the honor to call upon me and dine to-morrow?"

"Almost correct," replied the cannibal chief. "I said I would call and dine upon you to-morrow."

A Good Garden

Rakes,
Hoes,
Spades,
Etc., Etc.,
And the
Best
Garden
Plow
on the
MARKET.

Is the "family's living" through the summer months, therefore, it pays to CULTIVATE IT WELL. To do this you must have the

Best Garden Tools.

The successful farmer is the farmer who has the best implements; the successful gardener is the man who has the best tools. We carry the BEST in stock; our prices are VERY reasonable. Come in and look at our line of tools.

WE WANT YOU TO SEE OUR

"PERFECTION OIL STOVES."

THERE ARE NONE BETTER.

Do You Need a Cooking Stove or Range?

If so, it will pay you to see our large line.

Full line Lawn Mowers, Refrigerators, Water Coolers, etc.

When You need PLUMBING and TIN ROOFING let us "figger with you."

SHULTZ & RIEDEL

SPRINGFIELD, -1- KENTUCKY.

Heart Troubles

The heart may be weak just the same as the eyes, stomach or other organs. It often happens that a person is born with a weak heart. Then again disease, fevers, over-exertion, anxiety, nervousness, rheumatism, etc. weaken the heart. The result is shortness of breath, palpitation, pain in the heart, or in some of the nerves of the chest or abdomen. The heart should be strengthened with a tonic, and for this nothing equals Dr. Miles' Heart Cure.

"I had LaGrippe last fall as I thought in a mild form. I was weak, tired, feeling, and short of breath could hardly go about, and a good deal of the time sort of an unexplained breathing and extremely nervous. I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and now I feel so much better in every way. I am so thankful that I began taking this medicine, and shall not hesitate to tell others how much good it has done me."

MRS. F. J. NORTON, Freeville, New York. Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, and we authorize him to return price of first bottle (only) if it fails to benefit you.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Have You Used



??

If not, then do so when you want a good, satisfactory Paint for all purposes, both inside and outside. Color cards and prices furnished on application.

Strassel-Gans Paint Co., INCORPORATED. Paints, Oils, Brushes, Glass, Etc. 215 W. Market St., Louisville, Ky.

Glue Clothes Together. The Korean tailor does not stitch garments. He pastes the edges together and presses them down. Koreans carry glue around to stick their clothes together when they are torn.

The Sun and Daily Kentucky State Journal, both one year, \$4

The SUN \$1

...Announcement...

WOOL! WOOL!! WOOL!!!

The CAMPBELLVILLE MANUFACTURING CO., Of Campbellville, Kentucky,

Having built an entirely new plant now announce that they are ready to Manufacture Wool into such article as any farmer needs, such as

YARNS, LINSEY, JEANS, FLANNEL, BLANKETS, LADIES FLANNEL SKIRTS, ETC., ETC.

Our Motto: "Honest Goods at Reasonable Prices."

Our goods are ALL WOOL, Full Width and Fast Colors.

See one of our agents who will show you our samples. Get our terms and send us your wool.

C. R. McWHORTER, Agent, Springfield, Ky. W. K. EDELEN, Agent, Blincoe, Ky.

J. E. HARMON, Agent, Mackville, Ky.

G. W. PETERSON, General Manager.

(26)

Ice! Ice! Ice!

FOR CASH AND CASH ONLY.

500 and 1,000

Pound Coupon Books

For Sale at 10 per cent.

Discount.

Springfield Water and Electric Light Co.

HAVE YOU TRIED...

"Kentucky Star Flour"

IT'S THE BEST!

The Old Armchair.

From The Commoner: Perhaps no poem has been more widely quoted than the following, written by Eliza Cook. She was born in London, England, in the year 1817, and died at Wimbledon, England, September 23, 1889. Her father was a storekeeper, but the daughter early manifested literary tastes. She wrote for many periodicals, and published "Eliza Cook's Journal."

I love it, I love it! and who shall dare
To chide me for loving that old arm-
chair?
I've treasured it long as a sainted
prize.
I've bedewed it with tears and em-
bayed it with sighs,
'Twas bound by a thousand bands to
my heart;
Not a tie will break, not a link will
start;
Would you learn the spell?—a mother
sat there!
And a sacred thing is that old arm-
chair.

In childhood's hour I lingered near
The hallowed seat with listening ear;
And the gentle words that mother
would give
To fit me to die and teach me to live.
She told me that shame would never
betide
With Truth for my creed and God for
my guide;
She taught me to lip my earliest
prayer,
As I knelt beside that old armchair.

I sat and watched her many a day,
When her eye grew dim and her locks
were gray;
And I almost worshiped her when she
smiled,
And turned from her Bible to bless her
child.
Years rolled on, but the last one sped—
My old was shattered, my earth-star
fled!
I learnt how much the heart can bear,
When I saw her die in that old arm-
chair.

'Tis past, 'tis past! but I gaze 'on it
now
With quivering breath and throbbing
brow.
'Twas there she nursed me, 'twas there
she died,
And memory flows with lava-tide.
Say it is folly, and deem me weak,
While the scalding drops start down my
cheek;
But I love it, I love it, and can not
tear
My soul from a mother's old armchair.

Cured His Hogs.

J. A. Scott, Avon, Ky., says: "Hoo-
bon Hog Cholera Remedy cured some
hogs for me that I did not think could
possibly be saved." Sold by all drug-
gists.

BUT THEY HOPE FOR THE BEST.



The Vicar—Where is your father, my
boy?
The Boy—It's very uncertain, sir!
The Vicar—What do you mean?
The boy—Well, you see, he's dead.

George D. Prentice.

Hartford Herald: Geo. D. Prentice
was the first famous editor of the Cour-
ier-Journal.

When the star of this most remark-
able man went out one of the brightest
lights in all the brilliant galaxy of
thought and mind passed from sight
forever. Where in all the annals of
past time can you look for anything
more divinely eloquent, or more eleg-
antly said, than what follows from his
gifted pen:

"It cannot be that earth is man's
only abiding place. It cannot be that
our life is a mere bubble cast up by
eternity to float a moment on the
waves and sink into nothingness. Else
why is it that glorious aspirations
which leap like angels from the temple
of our hearts are forever wandering
unsatisfied? Why is it that the stars
that hold their festival around the mid-
night throne are set above the grasp
of our limited faculties, forever mock-
ing us with their unapproachable glory?
And finally why is it that bright forms

of human beauty presented to our
views are taken from us, leaving the
thousand streams of our affections to
flow back in Alpine torrents upon our
hearts? There is a realm where the
rainbow never fades; where the stars
will spread out before us like islands
that slumber in the ocean, and where
the beautiful beings which pass before
us like shadows will stay in our pres-
ence forever."

You Owe It

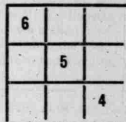
to your own
community
to buy your
her business man. You can always find the
assurances of representative business men
in these columns—men who will stand back of
every statement and price they make.

\$5,000.00

Prize Puzzle.

Can You Solve It?

The Celebrated 15' Puzzle.



Take any of the numbers, 1, 2,
3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and place in the
nine squares on this or a separate
sheet of paper, so that any way
it is read it will make 15. The
same number cannot be used
more than once.

Every person sending in correct
solution will be entitled to share
in a grand distribution of cash
value prizes amounting to \$5,000,
and to each person a song book
containing 50 old favorite songs
with words and music.

Winners will be notified by mail
only.

Cut this out and send your
solution of puzzle with name and
address to

Montenegro-Riehm

Music Co.

INCORPORATED.

628 and 630 Fourth Avenue,
Louisville, Ky. (25)

Had The Business Instinct.

Mr. Carmack, until recently sena-
tor from Tennessee, enjoys telling
the story of a darky in that state,
who, in a way, is something of a
philosopher.

Some one was saying to Mose one
day: "You're, always in trouble,
Mose. Why, can't you try to be bet-
ter? You're a likely sort of darky,
and you could get along very well if
only you'd behave yourself—keep a
steady job, instead of drinking 'bad
whisky and getting yourself behind
the bars half the time."

"Excuse me, boss," said Mose,
with a grin, "but it looks to me like
I makes more money this way. When
I works hard I gets seven dollars a
month and my board. When I gits
arrested the judge he says to me that
it will be ten dollars or 30 days.
How kin I afford to work for seven
dollars a month when I'm worth
three dollars more in de-lock-up?"
—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

DISCRIMINATION.

"They have got the 'down with
women's sentiment pat, at my board-
ing house," said a business woman.
"If it is a woman, the talking waiter
yells down the dumbwaiter, 'Bacon
and eggs fo' a lady.' Up comes one
egg, one roll, and piece of bacon as
big as a postage stamp. If it is a
man, he calls down, 'One breakfast.'
Up comes two eggs, two generous
slices of bacon, two rolls, and if
there is meat besides, a piece of
meat. But we girls almost went on
a strike the other morning when we
found before our plates saucers con-
taining just three wizened prunes,
and before each man's plate a saucer
with four prunes. I think it is dis-
criminating pretty close when they
give a man one 'more prune than
they give a woman, don't you?"

GOOSE SENTRIES.

"Silly goose" is an expression
which should be used by the extreme-
ly ignorant alone. No bird of my
acquaintance," says J. Cyril Crow-
ley, "requires more patience to shoot
with gun or camera, especially the
latter. When feeding you will find
flocks varying in size on open
ground, and nearly always on such

ground that a stalk is impossible.
"On the outskirts of these flocks
are sentries with heads erect, eyes
and ears alert, the slightest sound
or movement and you are detected—
true descendants from the ancient
preservers of Rome."—Country Life.

ON SECOND THOUGHT.

"Guests without baggage," deli-
cately hinted the hotel clerk, sizing
him up, "are usually required to pay
in advance."

"That's all right, pard," said
Uncle Jos Struckit, pulling a large
wad out of his pocket and beginning
to peel off a \$1.00 bill.

"Your—er baggage is entirely sat-
isfactory, sir," hastily observed the
hotel clerk, breaking out into a cold
sweat.

ACCOUNTING FOR IT.

"Old Jorkins left his son nothing
but a pittance out of his big for-
tune."
"What else did you expect?
Didn't Jorkins start life as a bar-
ber?"

"But what had that to do with
his disinheriting his son?"
"Force of habit, you see, made
him cut his heir."

EARLY HABITS.

"That last speaker," said the first
guest at the banquet, "was quite en-
tertaining."

"Yes," replied the other, "and
he's a self-made man, too."

"I can't say, though, that I liked
his delivery. It was rather slow."
"Oh, naturally. He began life as
a messenger boy."

WHAT HE GOT.

"Did your husband get any en-
couragement at the races?"
"Yes," answered young Mrs. Tor-
kins.

"One of the bookmakers called
him 'old sport' and told him he was
a good loser."

A FRIEND'S QUERY.

Tom (with a sigh)—I've been
hugging a delusion for nearly six
months.

Jack—Well, why don't you marry
her?"

NOTICE! CHICKEN RAISERS.

R 4-11-44 cures Cholera, Gapes, Roup,
Canker and Limberneck. Price 10c.
No cure, No pay! Guaranteed by
HAYDON, the Druggist.

Cures Gapes Instantly.

Bardstown, Ky., May 4, 1908.
One drop of R 4-11-44 dropped down
the bill of a gaining chicken kills the
worms and relieves the chicken instantly.
When fed in feed or water it is the best
preventive I have ever known.
WILL COOMES.

CLUBBING RATES —WITH— LOUISVILLE DAILIES.

The Sun and The Louisville Times one year.....	\$5.00
The Sun and the Daily Courier- Journal (except Sunday).....	6.00
Same including Sunday.....	8.20
The Sun and the daily Courier- Journal any three days in the week.....	7.00
The Sun one year and the daily Courier-Journal any three days in the week, six months.....	2.30
The Sun and the Sunday Cour- ier-Journal one year.....	2.80
The Sun and the Louisville daily Herald one year.....	3.25
The Sun and the Louisville Evening Post one year.....	4.00

THE SUN AND

Bryan's Commoner.....	1.75
Weekly Courier-Journal.....	1.50
Weekly Louisville Herald.....	1.25
Nashville American.....	1.50
Weekly Cincinnati Enquirer.....	1.75
Weekly Atlanta Constitution.....	1.75
Semi-Weekly St. Louis Republic.....	1.75
Semi-Weekly St. Louis Globe Democrat.....	1.75
Thrice-a-Week New York World.....	1.75
Home and Farm.....	1.25
American Agriculturist.....	1.75
American Epitome.....	1.75
American Farmer.....	1.50
Breeders' Gazette.....	2.25
Country Gentleman.....	2.00
Farm and Fireside.....	1.35
Farm, Field and Fireside.....	1.75
Review of Reviews.....	3.25
Lippincott's Magazine.....	2.35
Scribner's Magazine.....	4.00
Ledger Monthly.....	1.75
Harper's Magazine.....	4.35
Harper's Weekly.....	4.35
Sunny South.....	1.50

SPRINGFIELD SUN

ISSUED EVERY WEDNESDAY.

SUBSCRIPTION, -- ONE DOLLAR.
(In Advance.)

J. ROGERS GORE, Editor and Publisher.

Entered at the postoffice at Springfield Ky., for transmission through the mails as second-class matter.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

One Year	\$1.00
Six Months	.50
Three Months	.25

In writing to have your address changed always give the postoffice to which your paper is going as well as the postoffice to which you wish it sent.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS:
HON. BEN JOHNSON,
OF NELSON COUNTY.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce A. C. Kimball as a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff of Washington county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Deputies: Richard Rohlt, Sam D. Campbell, Will Merritt Sanders and Hubert Virgin.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce S. J. Anderson for Sheriff of Washington county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Deputies: Byron Croake, Geo. Powell, Sam Hale and H. R. Eddleman.

A CALL.

By order of the Democratic State Executive Committee of Kentucky, a Democratic State Convention is called to meet in the City of Lexington, Thursday, the 11 day of June, 1908, for the purpose of appointing delegates to the National Democratic Convention which will assemble in the City of Denver, on July 7th, 1908, to nominate candidates for President and Vice President of the United States.

The Democrats of each County, (and where a county embraces more than one legislative district) of each legislative district, will assemble in mass convention, in their respective county seats, and districts, as aforesaid, on Saturday, June 6th, 1908, at the hour of two o'clock, p. m., on said day, and appoint delegates to represent the said counties and districts respectively, in the State Convention. The basis of representation in the State Convention shall be one delegate for each two hundred votes and fraction of over one hundred votes, cast in the respective counties and districts, for the Democratic Electors in the Presidential Election of 1904.

Witness my hand as Chairman of the Democratic State Executive Committee, this May 19th, 1908.

LEWIS MCQUOWN,

Chairman Democratic State Executive Committee.

In obedience to the above, I hereby call the Democrats of Washington county together in mass-convention, at the court house in Springfield, Saturday, June 6th, at 2 o'clock p. m., to select delegates to the Democratic State Convention to be held in Lexington, Ky.

ROGERS GORE,

Chairman Democratic Committee Washington County.

50

SECOND HAND

SEWING MACHINES

FOR SALE

All Makes. Good as New.
GOOD ONES.

RANGING IN PRICES FROM

\$2.50 to \$15

All GUARANTEE to do GOOD WORK

Now is your chance to get a good Machine for little money. Call on

J. F. BISHOP,

At Bobbit & Bishop's Livery Stable, SPRINGFIELD, KY.

Russell-Foster.

Miss Emily Russell and Mr Ruel E. Foster will be married this evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of Rev. P. F. Hennessey, who will officiate. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Foster will go to Lebanon, where a train will be boarded for the East. Messrs. Leo Haydon and Hood Cunningham will be the only attendants. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. M. Russell, and is a popular and attractive young woman. Mr. Foster is connected with the First National Bank in the capacity of bookkeeper. He has many friends who wish for him and his bride an abundance of happiness.

Congratulations.

We extend congratulations to our friend, Mr. James J. Graves, the popular jeweler, of this place, whose marriage to Miss Ada Tumey was reported by our Mackville correspondent last week. The marriage ceremony was performed at the home of Mrs. A. G. Tumey by Eld. Cole, of the Christian church, in the presence of a few friends and relatives. The bride is a popular and attractive young woman, and has numerous admirers who extend to her congratulations and best wishes. Mr. and Mrs. Graves will reside in Springfield.

Exciting Chase.

Harrodsburg Herald: Tuesday morning as Mrs. Crit Davis stepped into the front hall of her residence, a snake about a yard long darted toward her. She sprang upon the stairs and called for help and after a chase all through the lower part of the house the reptile was cornered between a screen door and the wall, where it was killed by Sam Briscoe, a colored man working on the place.

Will Not Recover.

The friends of Mr. Mike Lanham will regret to learn that he is seriously ill in an infirmary in Louisville, and that his death is hourly expected. Mr. Lanham recently underwent an operation in that city, a tumorous growth being removed from the stomach. His condition has been serious for several days and the physicians have announced that there is no hope for his recovery.

Chautauqua.

Marion Falcon: The program for the Proctor Knott Chautauqua Association is practically arranged and the attractions selected. The program is fully up to the high standard adopted by the management during previous years and will be both interesting and instructive. Lamont's Concert Band of 15 pieces will be quartered on the grounds this year and have engaged a large reception tent for visitors. Quite a number of people who did not buy lots, have rented lots and tents and will camp out during the entire session. The Association will rent tents as before at very reasonable rates. The dates for the meeting are July 16 to 25 inclusive. The auditorium will be completed the early part of next week, and work in beautifying the grounds is progressing at a rapid rate.

Tatham Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Weathers, of Frankfort, have charge of Tatham Springs and the hotel is now open for the reception of guests. Indications at present point to a successful season. Write for catalogue.

Rodents The Thieves.

LaRue County Herald: Rats are ruling the roost in the Maple section of the county, according to a statement of a gentleman from that neighborhood who was in town yesterday. Our informant states that since corn has been so high and the consequent scarcity of the grain in that community, that the rodents have forsaken the corn cribs and are now infesting the chicken houses of the neighborhood. He states that for several weeks the women folk have been missing their young chicks and had already passed sentence upon the mink when it was discovered that rats were the thieves that had been robbing them of their fryers. Mrs. Martha Skaggs suffered the severest loss as the result of one raid of the rodents which occurred last Saturday night, when thirty of her frying size pullets were killed and eaten by them. Now the women of that neighborhood have declared war on his ratship and threaten to import a lot of felines that are experts in the rat catching line.

The Best Pills Ever Sold.

"After doctoring 15 years for chronic indigestion, and spending over two hundred dollars, nothing has done me as much good as Dr. King's New Life Pills. I consider them the best pills ever sold," writes B. F. Ayseue, of Ingleside, N. C. Sold under guarantee at Haydon & Robertson's drug store, 25c.

Circuit Court.

Circuit Court is still in session but with no very important cases on the docket. The grand jury has been in session ten days, but will probably adjourn today. During the past week the court has disposed of considerable business.

John Armstrong was fined \$100 for pointing a pistol at another. Oscar Harmon was found not guilty of furnishing whisky to a minor. Tom Calhoun was acquitted of the charge of disturbing religious worship. The Adams Express Company was fined \$75 for bringing liquor into local option territory.

Base Ball.

The base ball game between Bardstown and Springfield, played at the former place yesterday, stood Springfield 6, Bardstown 4. The game was close from start to finish, which afforded an interesting game. The home "fans" landed 14 hits, while the Bardstown team made only 6. The general work of the team, which was well played, indicates that Springfield has one of the fastest home teams it has had the pleasure of having in two or three years. Bardstown is expected to give us a return game about Friday.

The Springfield team was at Bloomfield today, and we are in hopes they will win as each team has won a game.

The double-header game played on the home grounds last Thursday between Springfield and St. Mary's was won by the latter by close scores. S.

Rockbridge Decoration.

Last Saturday the W. H. Hayes Camp G. A. R. observed Decoration Day with fitting ceremonies. The celebration was held at Rockbridge church and beneath the shade of the trees hundreds gathered to pay tribute to the heroic dead who there lie buried and to place flowers upon their graves. The graves were decorated in the morning after which a bountiful dinner was served to all present. In the afternoon all of the visitors repaired to the stand which had been erected on the grounds and under the direction of Nimrod Hendren, the commander of the Post, the concluding exercises were held. These consisted of songs led by J. H. Gordon which had the good old ring of sincerity to them, declamations by some of the younger children of the community, all of whom acquitted themselves creditably, and short addresses by Jos. Palm, Rev. Frank Hill, Rev. Hatchett, W. F. Grigsby, Marshall Duncan and Prof. G. W. Colvin. While the addresses were necessarily short they breathed the spirit of the occasion and were received with heartfelt approval by the veterans.

One feels better after attending occasions like this and especially when he mingles with the veterans of W. H. Hayes Post for they are men of character.

In Memory of Mrs. Lula Willett.

Death's sad angel has visited a home and carried with it a loving wife and mother. A life of truth and beauty her value to the world was very great, so great that not only her devoted husband and little children but the whole community in which she lived has lost a loving friend, the church a true Christian. Her home life was beautiful, teaching her little ones by example rather than precept how to live, instilling into their young hearts love of right above all else. That good, faithful mother has now gone from that home and it is broken up. Oh! how hard to realize that that familiar form will be seen there no more, that bright eye is closed in death, that kind, motherly voice is hushed. She was an example for all, ever mindful of her duties, ready to sacrifice her own pleasure for her husband and children, and she was happiest when she made them happy. She was a kind neighbor and a most generous friend and was loved and admired by many people for her amiable and generous disposition. She was a source of edification to all who partook of the hospitality of that home. We all indeed have sustained a heavy loss but to another's gain. Weep not for her dear husband and little ones for she is not dead but peacefully sleeping.

You'll meet again in brighter land Where farewell is never spoken, You shall clasp each other's hand And the clasp shall not be broken.

W. P. M.

A Grand Family Medicine.

"It gives me pleasure to speak a good word for Electric Bitters," writes Mr. Frank Conlan, of No. 436 Houston St., New York. "It's a grand family medicine for dyspepsia and liver complications; while for lame back and weak kidneys it cannot be too highly recommended." Electric Bitters regulate the digestive functions, purify the blood, and impart renewed vigor and vitality to the weak and debilitated of both sexes. Sold under guarantee at Haydon & Robertson's drug store. 50c.

Special Low Prices on Men's and Boy's

CLOTHING!

Our spring purchase was unusually large this season in Clothing and rather than take chances, we will begin right now, in the middle of the season, TO SLASH PRICES. This is an exceptional opportunity to buy this season's latest designs in the Very Best Makes of Clothing at "cheap stuff prices."

Our regular prices range from \$5.00 to \$25.00 on Men's and Young Men's Suits. From \$1 to \$7.50 on Boy's Suits.

Each and every one of these prices will be GREATLY REDUCED. We will include in this sale our entire stock of Men's, Youths' and Children's Odd Pants at Cut Prices.

HAWES
CELEBRATED
\$3
HATS

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS



Newest shapes in Young Men's and Boys Hats.

Agents for the Celebrated "HAWES" HATS.

Newest lasts in Young Men's OXFORDS.

New things in Shirts, Collars and Ties.

The ROBERTSON-CLAYBROOKE CO

INCORPORATED.

Tatham Springs

J. S. WEATHERS, Proprietor.

...Description of Hotel, Spring and Grounds...

THE HOTEL at Tatham Springs, Washington County, Ky., is situated on Carey Island, in Chaplin River, at the intersection of Glenn's Creek. The hills surrounding the valley are three hundred feet high, from the top of which the prospect is varied and sublime. Chaplin river, which is stocked with fine game fish, flows within one hundred feet of the hotel, at which place it makes a grand circuit of three miles returning within ninety feet, leaving a picturesque ridge, through which a tunnel has been cut, furnishing water for a mill.

The Spring is really an artesian well spouting from about one hundred feet below the surface, pouring out its healing waters in sufficient quantities to supply the world.

The water is a mild alkaline diuretic, with tonic and alterative properties of the most remarkable character. The analysis which is published in this pamphlet will suggest its curative properties, but the many wonderful cures of stomach, kidney and liver diseases by the use of this water, convinces us that nature in her subtle laboratory deep in the earth, has given to it properties which the chemist cannot account for.

The water has actually cured cases of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Gravel, Rheumatism, Cystitis, Gastric and Intestinal Catarrhs, Jaundice, every form of Dyspepsia and many other diseases.

The scenery around the Island and Hotel is picturesque, the fishing and boating superb. Carey Island, on which the Hotel is located, is high and dry, containing about six acres. The hotel is well ventilated, with broad verandas on every side, and is equipped with all modern improvements, and is conducted by Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Weathers in all departments in the very best manner.

The Hotel will be open for the accommodation of the public after March 1, in each year, at the following rates:

Board, per day	\$ 2.00
Board, per week	10.00
Board, per month	35.00

A first-class livery stable will be run in connection with the Hotel, and special attention and care will be given private conveyances.

The Spring Hotel

Is reached by public conveyances from Springfield, Bloomfield and Lawrenceburg. These conveyances meet daily trains at these points. A long distance telephone line connects the Spring with the telephone exchanges at Louisville, Springfield, Lawrenceburg and all points in Central Kentucky. Mails arrive and leave Spring daily.

A Ten Day's Sale

At Grundy & McIntire's.

For CASH Only.

SPECIAL PRICES ON
Floor Oil Cloth, Linoleum, Mattings,
Carpets, Druggets and
Wall Paper.

Ladies Skirts & Spring Jackets
At Reduced Prices.

Special Prices will Also be Made on
Men's Clothing

The backward season has forced this reduction.

Grundy & McIntire, Springfield, Kentucky.

Personal Notes.

Visitors In and Out of Town.—A Round Up of the Week's Personal News.

—Miss Butler, of Scottsboro, Ala., is here to spend several days with her cousin, Mrs. W. D. Claybrooke.

—Miss Lucile Noe, who has been seriously ill of pneumonia, is recovering.

—A little child of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barber has recovered from an attack of pneumonia.

—Mr. Wm. Lear has returned from a visit to his daughters in Indianapolis, Ind.

—Mr. H. B. Waters and sister are visiting relatives near Taylorsville this week.

—Miss Mary Lizzie Coomes, of Chaplin, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. D. Baker.

—Mr. L. O. McCarty was in Louisville Saturday and Sunday.

—Mr. Howell McCawley, of Louisville, was here the first of the week.

—Mr. J. S. Claybrooke spent Sunday in Bardstown.

—Miss Edna Edelen and Mr. Benedict Clements were at Nazareth Sunday.

—Mr. George Cheschier and Mr. Russell Cheschier, of Louisville, were here the first of the week.

—Mrs. J. B. Hill, of Lebanon, was here Tuesday to see her brother, Mr. W. T. Leachman, who is quite ill.

—Dr. W. V. Stallard and Miss Sue Ray spent Saturday and Sunday in Fairfield.

—Mr. W. T. Leachman, who is ill at his home here of typhoid fever, is reported better.

—Mr. T. P. O'Bryan was in Louisville Sunday to see Mr. Mike Lanham, who is very ill.

—Mr. L. D. Baker and family and Miss Mary Lizzie Coomes were at Penick Station Sunday.

—Miss Black, of Chaplin, is the guest of Miss Addie Keeling.

—Mrs. McMillan, who lives at the home of Mr. Walter Foley, has been seriously ill of pneumonia, but is now improving.

—Mr. C. C. McGill and son, Rob, of Lebanon, were in town Thursday.

—Mrs. Gilbert Carpenter, of Alabama, is visiting friends and relatives here.

—Mrs. H. P. McChord and son, Phil, of Lebanon, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McElroy.

—Mrs. R. H. McElroy and daughter, Miss Annie, spent Saturday in Louisville.

—Mrs. Ferguson, of Augusta, Ga., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Groatley, of near town.

—Mr. W. R. Seelman was in Louisville Sunday.

—Mrs. M. E. Durrett and sons, Morrie and Joseph, have returned from a several days visit in Taylorsville.

—Mr. J. L. Smith, of Louisville, was here last Thursday.

—Mr. H. M. O'Nan and Mr. Charles Haverle, of Louisville, spent a few days here last week with friends and relatives.

—Miss Ida Charles Carroll, of Shepherdsville, is the guest of Miss Flagg Simms.

—Mrs. Newel McClasky and son, Joe, of Bloomfield, spent several days here last week with the Misses Brown.

—Bessie Sharp, of Salvisa, who has been visiting her father, Mr. J. A. Sharp, has returned home.

—Rev. Lowen preached at the Christian church Sunday morning.

—Insure in the Farmers Home Insurance Company, the only company that pays its losses in full. J. N. Wells, General Mgr., Junction City, Ky.

—Unincumbered.

In the course of an examination of a negro witness in the Jackson, Miss. chancery court a few weeks since, the attorney asked: "Are there any incumbrances on your land?" "Naw, suh," responded the witness, "nothin' but plues."—Law Notes.

DR. W. V. STALLARD
DENTIST

SPRINGFIELD, KY. PHONE 72.

Over McElroy & Shadler's Grocery.

TEETH EXTRACTED

WITHOUT PAIN OR DANGER.

No Charge When Plates are Wanted.

Notice to Bee People.

If your Bees need attention or transferring, write or call upon

D. B. WILLSON,
Springfield, Ky., Rt. 3.

I Want Produce!

ESPECIALLY Eggs

And I will pay the

Highest Market Prices.

GROCERIES At Reduced Prices

Come to see me, I am selling SOME GOODS AT COST in order to make room for a new refrigerator, and will soon be handling Fresh Meats of all kinds.

Groceries, as usual, at Low Prices.

E. C. COX.

—Mr. Al Mudd was in Louisville Sunday.

—Mr. H. M. Grundy was in Bloomfield Sunday.

—Miss Mamie Knott left to-day for a two week's visit to her aunt in Elizabethtown.

—Dr. G. T. Burton is in Louisville this week.

—Miss Elise Durrett has returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Cincinnati and Cleveland, Ohio, Louisville and Bloomfield.

—Messrs. Frank Noe and Hamilton Robertson attended the ball game in Bardstown yesterday.

—Mr. G. C. Wharton is in Mercer county on business.

—Mrs. T. C. Campbell entertained at euchre yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Bessie Watson, of Louisville.

—Miss Fannie Wall has returned from a three months' visit to friends and relatives in the South.

—Dr. S. J. Smock and family, Mrs. Janie Willett, Mrs. J. J. McCabe and Misses Carrie Edelen and Eddie Shadler were in Louisville Sunday.

—Prof. Geo. W. Colvin and wife, R. C. Boblitt, W. F. Grigsby and Marshall Duncan attended the Decoration Day exercises at Rockbridge Saturday.

—Mrs. Bessie Watson and little son, of Louisville, have returned home, after a several days' visit to Mrs. W. E. Leachman, Mrs. Leachman entertained in honor of her Monday afternoon.

—Mr. Robert Graham, wife and little daughter, of Louisville, are visiting Mr. Graham's mother, Mrs. Bettie Graham.

—Mrs. E. S. Mayes, Sr., returned home Saturday, after spending two weeks in Lebanon with her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Mahon.

—Mr. Will Hill and Miss Elizabeth Leachman, of Lebanon, were here Monday to see Miss Leachman's brother, Mr. W. T. Leachman, who is quite ill.

—Miss Pearl Claybrooke will be at home from Lexington the latter part of the week. Miss Claybrooke has graduated from the State College, and has secured a State diploma, which entitles her to teach anywhere in Kentucky.

—Mrs. John L. Offutt and little daughter, of Bloomfield, are here to visit Mrs. Offutt's parents and other relatives.

—Mr. L. H. Bellebaum was in Louisville Sunday.

—Miss Flagg Summs entertained at "500" Monday afternoon in honor of her guests, Miss Wathen, of Bardstown Junction, and Miss Carroll, of Shepherdsville. Miss Margaret Spaulding entertained in their honor Monday evening. Miss Louise Medley Tuesday afternoon and Miss Nell Greene this morning.

—Messrs. Hugh Lee Smith, Clifford Roberts and Will Robertson leave tomorrow for New Mexico and Texas. Mr. Roberts will locate in Dalhart, Texas, while Messrs. Smith and Robertson will go to Tucuman, New Mexico, on a prospecting tour. Mr. Smith has been connected with The Sun for nearly three years, and is a young man of excellent habits. Mr. Roberts was employed on the News-Leader, and has been a faithful and painstaking employee. Mr. Robertson has been clerking in the hardware store of G. D. Robertson & Co., and, in that capacity made many friends. Each of these young men is sober, industrious and honorable, and they deserve to, and will no doubt, be successful if they decide to remain permanently in the West.

WHEN YOU WANT TO KEEP COOL GO TO

Allen's Ice Cream Parlor and Confectionery.

You will always find at Allen's the best Ice Cream, Refreshing Soft Drinks and the best Candies and Fruits the market affords.

Leon Allen Proprietor.

Dr. G. T. Burton

RESIDENT DENTIST.

Teeth Extracted Without Pain.

CROWN WORK A SPECIALTY.

All Dental Work Strictly First-class. Springfield, Ky. Office in Hagon Block, up stairs.

Local News Notes.

C. L. Brady, Rt. 3, has for sale from 500 to 800 bushels of corn. Will sell in any amount, from half bushel, up.

Miss Josie Lee now has charge of the Evans Millinery Co.'s store here. She invites her friends to call to see her.

FOR RENT.—Grocery room formerly occupied by Irvine McElroy and office formerly occupied by W. F. Nelkirk. Apply to W. K. ROBERTSON.

ESTRAYS.—Six red and spotted shoats were taken up on the farm of R. L. Montgomery. Owner may have them by applying to W. P. Montgomery, Springfield, Ky., Rt. 1.

FOR SALE.—Two sets single harness and one set double harness. G. W. LYON.

Notice, Notice.

All persons indebted to the estate of J. M. Burton, deceased, please call at the Peoples Deposit Bank and settle their accounts. It is necessary for the estate to be settled immediately. Also all persons holding claims against said estate please present them properly proven. J. A. BULWAHE, Executor J. M. Burton, Deceased.



HON. PARIS GIBSON.

MACKVILLE.

Dr. W. T. Barnett and Mr. Will Arnold were in Harrodsburg Monday.

Mr. Charlie Trent, of Willisburg, and Mr. Tommie Colvin, of Springfield, were here Sunday.

Misses Beulah Thompson and Maggie Mae Wycoff spent Friday and Saturday with Miss Beulah Arnold at Maud.

Mr. John Jones, of Virginia, formerly of Stanford, Ky., visited Miss Natch Sweeney last Tuesday evening.

Mr. Boone Mays and wife, of Peoria, Ill., after spending a week with Mr. Mays' mother, Mrs. G. H. Hickerson, have returned home.

Mr. Eyan Rogers and wife, of Lebanon, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. D. C. Thompson.

Mrs. Eliza Brown, who for the past month has been visiting her son, Mr. Logan Brown, at Seymour, Ind., has returned home, accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Lucile Brown.

Mrs. R. B. Hatchett and son, Mr. Charlie, of Lebanon, spent Sunday at the home of Dr. W. R. Thompson.

Misses Margie Isham and Beulah Thompson and Mr. Jimmie Peter attended the entertainment given by the Graded School boys at Harrodsburg last Tuesday night.

Miss Kizzie Harmon, of Lebanon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Durwood Shewmaker, this week.

Among those who attended the Baptist Sunday School Institute from a distance were Mr. W. J. Mahoney, State Sunday School Secretary, of Louisville, Dr. A. C. Graves, Capt. K. Offitt, Mr. Joe Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Eyan Rogers, of Lebanon, Rev. Williams, Miss Mary Lampton, Miss Della Campbell, Mrs. James Royalty and daughter, Miss Virginia, Mrs. S. M. Campbell and Mr. Lynn Bush, of Springfield, Rev. R. L. Purdon, Mr. C. B. Pope and Mr. Joe Begley, of Texas.

Bessie Sharp, of Salvisa, who has been visiting her father, Mr. J. A. Sharp, has returned home.

Rev. Lowen preached at the Christian church Sunday morning.

Insure in the Farmers Home Insurance Company, the only company that pays its losses in full. J. N. Wells, General Mgr., Junction City, Ky.

Unincumbered.

In the course of an examination of a negro witness in the Jackson, Miss. chancery court a few weeks since, the attorney asked: "Are there any incumbrances on your land?" "Naw, suh," responded the witness, "nothin' but plues."—Law Notes.

DR. W. V. STALLARD
DENTIST

SPRINGFIELD, KY. PHONE 72.

Over McElroy & Shadler's Grocery.

TEETH EXTRACTED

WITHOUT PAIN OR DANGER.

No Charge When Plates are Wanted.

Notice to Bee People.

If your Bees need attention or transferring, write or call upon

D. B. WILLSON,
Springfield, Ky., Rt. 3.

Down-and-Out



Put up your **SCREENS** in time. Save trouble and worry!

We handle both ODD and REGULAR SIZES in DOORS and WINDOWS, and can put them up for you.

PRICES RIGHT.

Springfield Lumber Co.

NOTES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM



Exposed fowls are apt to be poor layers.

The farmer may not know himself, but he ought to know his soil.

Whole oats and wheat and cracked corn make a first-class hen feed.

Three requisites to early potatoes—Early soil, early planting, early variety.

It is the early hatched chick which, if properly reared, becomes the profit earner in the fall.

Cross-breeding of sheep requires both judgment and skill. Don't attempt it if you are a novice.

Remember at this season of the year that it is important to keep the hogs out of the wet and to keep pens and beds dry.

A cow turned out to pasture in good vigorous condition will respond to the fresh feed 50 per cent. better than the animal which is run down.

With so many men out of work throughout the country, it seems a shame that farmers are so hard put to it to get the help they need.

Stingy feeding is followed by scant giving. What have you gained if you have saved a pound of one-and-a-half cent feed and lost a pint of five-cent milk?

Don't let the first few warm, bright days of spring make you forget that there will be cold, raw, wet days plenty. Look out for the stock in such weather.

Take a hint from the politicians and begin to repair your fences, if you have not already done so. Look carefully. The stock will find the weak places if you do not.

The farmer who has raised sheep and finds them profitable says that the right kind of a flock in the hands of the right kind of a farmer is one of the best kind of investments.

The boy who is brought up to feel a personal responsibility in the farm or some feature of the farm and who reaps the direct reward of such devotion, is seldom anxious to pull away from the farm to the city.

Give the boy a chance for a little independent management on the farm. Give him a ram lamb and two young ewes. He can handle them easily, feed them on a small lot and train himself to be a fine shepherd in doing it.

You will find the following to be a good ration for young pigs: Three ounces of cornmeal to one quart skim milk. For pigs over 60 pounds give six ounces cornmeal to one quart milk. When they reach 100 pounds weight add eight ounces cornmeal.

Keep records and accounts both of the livestock and the crops of the farm. The value of knowing what it costs to produce the products on your farm lies wholly in the possibility of forcing by its use in comparing your system of farm management with that of others.

With body rested by the winter let up and the mind stimulated by the lectures of the farmers' institutes and the studies of the short course at the agricultural school, and the reading of the good farm journal, which of course you take, you are ready for the work of the coming season.

Good dairying includes good cows, good pasture in summer and good feed in winter, good shade in summer and good shelter in winter, good water and good care all the year round, and good machinery to run the separator, the churn, etc. If the farmer has good eyesight, he can easily see the good points of the above declaration.

The heavy horse of the draft type is the horse for the farmer to raise. Prof. F. C. Minkler of the New Jersey experiment station has this to say in reference to the disposition of some farmers to raise road horses: "If you are going to be a jockey and run a race horse stable it is all right to go into the road horse business, but for the sake of your own success, if you are a grain or live stock farmer, don't meddle with sulky and fast horses. It has ruined nearly every farmer who ever attempted it, besides the environment is far from wholesome or even decent. It is just like trying to plant a barn with a feather when brushes are plentiful and cheap. Stick to the draft horse."

Cut out the suckers. The tree is weakened by them.

Try a song or a whistle with the chores. Makes them go easier.

Sour milk fed to the chickens will be returned to you in more eggs.

Arrange the stock buildings so as to minimize the work of caring for the animals.

It will pay you to have a feed mill if you are feeding from 20 to 25 bushels of grain a week.

Be on the lookout for new ideas. Little danger that you will ever know too much about farming.

As the American farmer is known abroad—"American butter" is the name given in Syria to oleomargarine.

Overfed or underfed, irregular feeding or improper feed are mistakes to be avoided if stock raising is to prove profitable.

Be careful and do not let the young horses strain themselves under the heavy spring work. An injury done will be hard to overcome.

Use a spring wagon when hauling fruit or vegetables. If you haven't one, the footings for your farm wagon to be used when needed.

Make up your mind now that next winter you will take that short course at the agricultural college which you had half a mind to try this year, but just didn't.

Fodder which is scattered on the ground and run over by the sheep is practically waste, for they will not touch it, although perhaps suffering from hunger.

Not a bad idea as the horses come into the hard work of the spring to clip them. A heavy coat of wet hair is not very comfortable in a cold spring breeze.

Never think of marketing a thin hog. The fatter the hog, the more he will get for the better price you will get for the animal.

Take a day off sometime and work out a scheme whereby you can sell some of your produce direct to the consumer rather than paying most of the profit to the commission man.

In pan-raised cream you have the pans to wash and where separator is used you have the separator to wash. What is the difference? For those to answer who object to the separator because of the work of washing it.

Don't go into the hog raising business just because you think a mud hole and a trough full of slop is all that is needed to produce marketable animals. Right kind of care and right kind of feed are necessary to profit able hog raising.

The two important elements in feed are the proteins, or tissue forming elements, and carbohydrates, or fat-formers. In breeding and growing stock thought should be had for the foods rich in protein, as clovers, milk, oats, vegetables and wheat middlings.

A good carriage horse will bring from \$200 to \$300 in almost any horse market, while scrubs that cost almost as much to raise will bring only half that sum. While you are in the horse-raising business breed to a good sire and get an animal that is worth while.

The wise dairyman need not fear tuberculosis provided he systematically fights it. Test the herd at least once a year and remove those found to be infected. Receive no new stock that has not passed the test. This method is absolutely certain. It can be contracted only by contact with diseased animals.

Put in the raw material and bring forth the finished product is what the farmer does when he fertilizes his soil and cultivates it and grows his crop. Such a farmer is in profitable manufacturing business. But he who takes from the soil and puts nothing in the place of the crop removed is like the miner taking riches from the ground and making no return.

Asparagus and rhubarb need lots of manure, and scarcely too much can be applied to the soil. Whatever may be said concerning the typhoid bacilli in horse manure and its dangers to strawberries, certain it is that it does not apply to rhubarb and asparagus, for the latter plants are cooked before eating so that any germs which might be present would be destroyed.

Prof. E. T. Hart of the University of Wisconsin has devised a new milk test for the discovery of the casing content of the milk, and which is of special interest to the cheese maker. His test consists of placing a quantity of milk into a tube with chloroform and acetic acid thoroughly mixed. The tube is then revolved, as in the Babcock test 2,000 revolutions a minute for eight minutes. This distributes the ingredients so that the chloroform and the fat in solution are at one end and clear water and the milk solids on the top. The casing is found in a white mass between these two and may be measured by the scale marked on the tube.

A FAIR Proposition!

To Bankers, Brokers and Business Men:

You whose conservative training and whose business methods prompt you to look askance at any enterprise, banking, mercantile, industrial or what not that promises to pay an investor or stockholder more than 6, 7, 8 or 10 per cent., we have a word to say to you.

We know that you know that there are hundreds of enterprises in the United States and throughout the world that pay enormous dividends upon the par value of the stock. You know that there are monopolies which by reason of controlling a particular product make enormous profits. You know that there are very few natural monopolies in the world. You know that any corpora-

tions anywhere fortunate enough to possess a physical property containing a product used all over the world, and sold for a price representing forty or fifty times the cost of production, should enrich its stockholders. You know, if you read the page advertisement in last week's edition, that in a claim was made by this company, that it possessed a 94 foot ledge of lithographic stone, underlying a 200 acre hill. You know, if you read said advertisement, that no corporation possessing any kind of property never offered to the public greater indisputable proof as to its existence, its character and its value than was furnished in said advertisement.

BRIEFLY PROOFS, To-wit:

The statement made in the report of the United States Geological Survey, that there are but two quarries of lithographic stone in the world, one in Bavaria the other in Brandenburg, Ky. The same United States Government report stating as well that for quality and dependability of supply, the Bavarian quarries are not at this time dependable.

Again, you know, if you read the advertisement referred to, that the greatest expert in the State of Kentucky, after examining our quarry, stated over his signature that it was practically inexhaustible. As a further proof of the "pudding" in said advertisement, there was printed, over the signatures of the expert engravers and transferers, who have spent their lives in working upon lithographic stone, positive statements to the effect that the stone from our quarry had produced work equal to any stone that was ever imported from Bavaria.

You know that with two 94 foot ledges of lithographic stone, selling in the markets of the world, at from 11 cents to 50 cents a pound, is easily worth not the \$1,000,000 representing the amount of our capital stock, but up into the hundreds of millions of dollars.

You will know, if you will do us the kindness to read a copy of a letter from Robert Mayer & Company, importers of lithographic stone, that such testimony can not and is not to be discredited.

You know, and we most respectfully submit this proposition, that no corporation could afford to make these statements that have been made by us in the advertisement referred to and in our printed literature, unless they were true, because we are making them to fellow citizens of this Commonwealth, our next door neighbors and not about a property a thousand miles away and out of reach, but a property within a few hours ride of nearly every

citizen in Kentucky, and the proofs we are offering we could not afford to publish, if they were not true, for the simple reason that the source of said proofs are equally within easy reach of one who cares to make an investigation.

To you as an individual and to your patrons and friends, we say that you know that it would be perfect folly for us to make the following proposition unless we are in position to back it up in every way. Here is the proposition: If our claims, and our statement be true, we are offering a stock to the general public that will pay larger dividends than any security ever sold in the state of Kentucky or any other state that we know anything about. Therefore, we will agree to pay expenses and \$10.00 per day for the time consumed of any citizen of this Commonwealth or any other state, who will visit Louisville, examine our proofs of facts, see the stone in the various lithographic houses of the city, examine the work produced from it, consult the engravers and transferers, and experts, who are responsible for the work, examine the quarries at Brandenburg and after such investigation, say over his signature that there is no foundation, but simply for the general claim made, but specifically any claim that is made.

We need the necessary capital to equip our wonderful property with the large plant necessary to produce an output for the world's demand. Every individual who furnishes any proposition of this capital will earn a larger dividend on his investment than any dividend paying security ever marketed in the state of Kentucky.

As a proof: There are 692 lithographic houses alone in the United States. We can furnish a certain 14 of this 692 and pay 20 per cent. net on the entire capitalization. What could we do by furnishing the 692 and other nations as well?

TO THE PUBLIC GENERALLY:

If any of you failed to read the advertisement appearing in last week's issue of this paper, hunt up your old paper or get one from your neighbor or send to the newspaper office or better still make use of the coupon below and send to us for our printed matter containing full particulars.

TO THE WAGE EARNER:

We earnestly ask you to give yourself the benefit of the doubt, obtain a copy of the advertisement and read it, or if you read it, you evidently did not read it carefully, or if you read it carefully you evidently failed to credit the apparently astounding statements made in it. Let us have a heart to heart talk with you. This proposition is open to you also. We accept subscriptions for as small an amount of stock as 10 shares, just to give you the opportunity. We say to you that if you can make it for 500 shares which you can obtain for \$250, you will have secured a sufficient number of shares, the income from which will keep your family in comfort the rest of your lives and the lives of your children and your children's children.

We know that it is a serious thing to ask the wage-earner to invest his savings in a corporation, but we state without hesitation that he may do so with perfect safety. There is no risk in this proposition, unless we fail to get the necessary money to buy the plant, and if we fail to do this, the Louisville Trust Company, Louisville, Ky., will refund the amount of your subscription with 3 per cent. interest added. If we succeed in doing it, you will

share fairly and equally with the banker, broker, capitalist and ourselves in the tremendous earnings of this company.

If you are still wondering if such good fortune be possible, and there is yet doubt in your mind, you must have an acquaintance or friend in Louisville, this city, if so write to them and ask them to show you the courtesy to come to this office and find out for you if the claims that we have made are true, or if you can come yourself the proposition made to the bankers and brokers is to you also.

Bear in mind we are offering the first 100,000 shares at fifty cents. Immediately upon the sale of the first 100,000 shares we will give the order for the plant. Immediately thereafter, for the additional required, the stock will be sold at par. Make no mistake about this, for it positively will be sold thereafter at par.

In conclusion, there is no problem to solve. We have proven the existence of a tremendously large quarry of lithographic stone that is worth more than the finest marble or onyx, simply because it can be procured from but two quarries in the world, one in Solihoten, Bavaria, the other quarry at Brandenburg, Ky. Write, now, making use of the coupon below.

Based upon the minimum earnings of dividends, subscribers to any part of the first 100,000 shares will secure the stock at one-half its par value, therefore

\$10.00 will buy 20 shares, which will upon minimum estimated earnings pay \$10 annually and the stock one year after plant is in operation should be worth \$160.	\$100.00 will buy 200 shares and should earn \$160 annually; stock should be worth one year after plant is in operation \$1,600.
\$25.00 will buy 50 shares and should earn \$40 annually; stock should be worth one year after plant is in operation \$400.00.	\$500.00 will buy 1,000 shares and should earn \$800 annually; stock should be worth one year after production begins \$8,000.
\$50.00 will buy 100 shares and should earn \$80 annually; stock should be worth one year after plant is in operation \$800.00.	\$1,000 will buy 2,000 shares and should earn \$1,600 annually; stock should be worth one year after production begins \$16,000.00.

W. R. WATERS, President.

Wm. ROBT. LEE JOHNSON, Vice-President.

D. L. BILLINGS, Secretary and Treasurer.

German Lithographic Stone Co., 74-75 Kenyon Building, Louisville, Kentucky.

Take Advantage of The Coupon Below.
WRITE TO-DAY.

W. R. WATERS, President German Lithographic Stone Co.

Kenyon Building, Louisville, Ky.

DEAR SIR:—Please send me the prospectus of your company and full particulars, together with a subscription blank and samples of lithographing.

NAME.....

STREET AND NO.....

CITY.....

S. K. 3-4 STATE.....

HIS CHARITABLE DEED

By J. S. FLETCHER

(Copyright.)

On a certain bright autumn afternoon Mr. Poskitt and the partner of his joys sat in their comfortable parlor on either side of the tea table, when the servant announced the Misses Merriweds.

Two quaint figures approached Mrs. Poskitt, and shook hands with her in a shy, breathless fashion.

"Do take a cup, ladies," said Mrs. Poskitt, who had already replenished the teapot and whispered the servant maid to bring fresh hot toast. "I'll do you a power of good after your walk. Do, now."

Miss Sarah Ellen Merriwede and Miss Martha Mary Merriwede hesitated in the fashion which they had been taught many a long year ago to consider the polite and genteel thing. But eventually, after many protestations, the two ladies were seated at the table and supplied with tea and hot toast.

Secretly Mr. Poskitt was wondering what had brought them to his house. He knew them as the proprietors of the little village shop—two simple-minded old maids, whose sole means of livelihood lay in their business.

These here two old ladies is it the vale of tribulation," he said to himself. "Why, now, then, we must see if we can't do summat to help 'em out on it. But we must know first how they come to get there."

Mr. Poskitt never hurried anybody's cattle, and he waited until the tea table had been cleared, and he, his wife and their visitors had been installed round the cheery fire, to hear the reason which had brought the two old maids to his door. At the end of a silence that followed the solemn lighting of Mr. Poskitt's pipe, Miss Sarah Ellen Merriwede spoke, with pathetic timidity.

"Mr. Poskitt," said Martha Mary, "me and Sarah Ellen is in great trouble."

Mr. Poskitt blew out a cloud of smoke.

"Naay!" said Mr. Poskitt, with great affectation of deep surprise. "Ye don't say so? Trouble? Why, I wot just thinking how well ye wot both looking—yeung as Iver, like! Trouble? Naay, come, now!"

"It's like this, Mr. Poskitt," continued Sarah Ellen. "I've no doubt you'll remember our only brother, John. Of course, you'd never see much of him, because he left the village when we was all young folk. A fine handsome young fellow he was—straight-backed, like all the Merriweds."

"I hev some recollection o' th' gentleman," said Mr. Poskitt. "Went away to London Town, didn't he?"

"He did, Mr. Poskitt, and married and settled down there," replied Sarah Ellen. "Married a very genteel young person of the name of Saunders. And, of course, we never saw much of them after that—in fact, we never saw John after father's burying, and that's a long time ago. He's dead now, is John, poor thing! and so is his wife."

"Left any family?" inquired Mr. Poskitt.

"One son, Mr. Poskitt—John Saunders Merriwede," answered Sarah Ellen. "Yes, John Saunders Merriwede. Sorry I am to say it of one of my flesh and blood, Mr. Poskitt, but that young man, John Saunders Merriwede, our neevy though he was, was a bad 'un—a real bad 'un!"

"Naay!" said Mr. Poskitt. "Ye don't say!"

"A real bad 'un!" repeated Sarah Ellen. "Don't you try to make out as he wasn't, Martha Mary, for he was. A deceiving, story-telling, false-tongued young rascal, that's what he was! He told us how grandly he was getting on in his business—he was the sole money-broking trade, Mr. Poskitt, though I'm sure I don't know what that is—and how much better he could get on if he had a bit more capital, and he said his bankers would let him have the capital if he could find securities to be bound for him. And, of course, it seemed only right that the young man should apply to his relatives for help; and so in the end we signed some papers as he'd brought down from London with him, and accordingly me and Martha Mary became bound to the bank for him for £400."

"Naay!" said Mr. Poskitt. "Ay, to be sure! And what next?"

"The next," replied Sarah Ellen, with rising indignation, "was that he got hold of the money and ran away to America—some say with a playmate. And, of course, we had to find the money. We never said a word to nobody hereabout, for one's none so fond of advertising one's troubles, but we were sore cast down; for, of course, we'd no £400—we'd naught but the title deeds of the house and the shop, and the bit of land round about. Poor father had tolled and saved all his life to, buy these, you know, Mr. Poskitt, and we had to raise the money by mortgaging them. And now—now," concluded Sarah Ellen, "now the mortgage's foreclosed, 'cause he can't wait for his money any longer, and me and Martha Mary's ruined women!"

"Me and Sarah Ellen's ruined women!" said Martha Mary.

"At our ages!" sobbed Sarah Ellen. "At our ages!" sobbed Martha Mary. "I'm 69," said Sarah Ellen. "I'm an old old woman."

"I'm an old woman, too," said Martha Mary. "But I'm—I'm younger than Sarah Ellen."

Mr. Poskitt put down his pipe, scratched his head, looked at the fire and the ceiling, hummed and hawed a few times, and finally said: "Dear-ness!" several times, very slowly.

"And who's th' house and th' land mortgaged to?" he suddenly inquired, facing sharply round on the sisters. "Onnybody hereabouts?"

Sarah Ellen shook her head sadly. "Lawyer Reynolds," she said. "Ye want to th' sharpest and th' hardest 'orney ye could find, seemin'ly," he observed.

"We'd tried others, Mr. Poskitt," answered Sarah Ellen. "He was the last chance."

"And now he weern't give no more time—mun have his money, I reckon!" asked Mr. Poskitt.

"Yes," replied Sarah Ellen. "He's a hard man. We thought, perhaps, that you might be able to persuade him to wait until we were dead, Mr. Poskitt. We're old women—we want to die in the house where we were born."

"In the house where we were born," echoed Martha Mary.

Mrs. Poskitt began to show signs of tears. Mr. Poskitt blew his nose very loudly, and, finishing his toddy at one gulp, made a great noise and bustle in mixing another glass of it.

"Why, now, why, now!" he said presently, "say no more about it. We mun all do what we can, one for another. I'll away on th' lowd horse th' mornin' and see Reynolds, and try to persuade him to hear reason. We mun't hev no turning out o' hearth an' home th' these parts."

It was a day or two later that Mr. Poskitt called at Lawyer Reynolds' office. At the end of a quarter of an hour, Mr. Reynolds and Mr. Poskitt emerged upon the street together, Mr. Poskitt buttoning his cut-away coat over some bulky documents and Mr. Reynolds rubbing his hands. They walked together to the King George and pledged each other in a friendly glass. Then Mr. Poskitt lighted a cigar.

"Ye'll understand," he said as he held out his hand to the solicitor, "ye'll understand th' all th' happened between us is to be kept secret till th' day o' wor deaths. If ye Iver breathe a word on't to onnybody—"

"Not a word, my dear sir, not one word!" protested Mr. Reynolds. "I understand you exactly, my dear sir, and honor your great and highly admirable delicacy of feeling. Bery, my dear sir, on my absolute secrecy."

"Why, now, then, that's all right, and I'll bid you good-day," said Mr. Poskitt, and he made his way homewards. In the village he drew rein at the gate of the little garden in which the old maiden house stood.

Sarah Ellen and Martha Mary, older than ever in the morning twilight, came hurrying down the path. Mr. Poskitt lifted his hat.

"Morning, ladies. A fine morning," he said. "He be down from his saddle, conscious of the anxiety in the old faces lifted to his. "Now, then, I ha' settled you bit o' business w' 'Torney Reynolds," he said. "It's all right. Ye'll never be bothered about it again, as long as ever you live. See you." He drew a paper from his pocket and pressed it into Sarah Ellen's hands. "That's th' title deed o' th' house and th' land. Lock it up safe. Now ye'll understand th' ye're safe for life."

The two old women clasped their hands. Both uttered the same words at the same moment.

"Oh, Mr. Poskitt! How did you manage it?"

Mr. Poskitt licked the off-side of his horse.

"Now, you mun't ask no questions," he said. "I'll tell ye all about it some other time. I've a verry important engagement, and I'm late for th' dinner now. Mornin'—mornin'!"

In another moment Mr. Poskitt was out of sight. The old maids, dazed, speechless, went back to the shop. The child was waiting patiently at the counter for its pennyworth of sweets. Miss Martha Mary gave it such a pennyworth as no child had ever seen before. She pressed upon it a paste-board donkey which moved its head.

"Well, love," said Mrs. Poskitt, when the master sat down in his shirt-sleeves to the dinner table, and, having knocked three times with the carving knife, said grace and fell to upon the joint as his own Amen died away, "did you persuade Mr. Reynolds to have a little consideration for the old ladies?"

"Oh, ay, I persuaded him, reight enough," answered Mr. Poskitt.

"It's wonderful how you can talk people round," said Mrs. Poskitt, admiringly. "You're a wonderful hand at persuading folk."

"I gotten summat to persuade em with," said Mr. Poskitt. "I'm a reight 'un, I th'ak."

That afternoon, while Mrs. Poskitt was having her usual nap in the best room, Mr. Poskitt pulled out his pocket formidable document from his pocket and read bits of it with much interest and curiosity.

"Ecce, they put some words and phrases into these here mortgages," he said. "It 'ud tak' th' lord chancellor hissen to explain some o' this. How summat, it's so much waste paper now, and we'll put it on th' fire-burn and see how it burns."

He threw the parchment on the glowing fire and watched it crackle and fizzle and burn. And suddenly he smote one hand against the other.

"By gosh!" he said. "When you two old lasses is dead, th' house 'll come to th' scapegrace neevy 'at cheated 'em! Ecce, I niver thowt o' that—niver thowt 'at I wot buyin' it for him. Why, now, then—that's a bonnie investment! I remember, what's it matter? I shall never want houses nor brass afore verry long, and th' old maids 'll sleep sounder to-night nor they've slept for many a month."

Dr. W. F. Trusty, Practical Dentist, SPRINGFIELD, KENTUCKY.

Dental work at reasonable prices. All work guaranteed.

B. D. LAKE, Insurance Agent, Life, Fire and Accident.

Old Massachusetts Mutual, always reliable and the best dividend-paying company in the world. Your insurance solicited.

DR. M. W. HYATT. DR. JNO. M. SPAULDING.

OFFICE OVER
THE RED CROSS DRUG STORE
SPRINGFIELD, KENTUCKY

OFFICE HOURS:
DR. HYATT 10:30 to 12 m.
4 to 5 p. m.
DR. SPAULDING—2 to 4 p. m.
And in office all Night.

Dr. J. C. Mudd

OFFICE OVER C. J. HAYDON'S DRUG STORE
Office Hours: 8 to 9 A. M. 1 to 2 P. M.

J. H. LAMPTON, M. D.

Office in Opera House.
Office phone No. 5. Residence, No. 38

MISS ELLA ADAMS, NURSE

TELEPHONES:
Day, 49. Night, 109.

T. SCOTT MAYES, ATTY-AT-LAW, Springfield, Ky.

Will practice in the courts of Washington and adjoining counties, in the Court of Appeals and Federal Courts.

C. C. MCHORD, ATTY-AT-LAW, Springfield, Ky.

Will practice in all State and Federal Courts.

W. D. CLAYBROOKE, ATTY-AT-LAW, Springfield, Ky.

Will practice in the courts of Washington and adjoining counties and in the courts of Appeals.

W. E. SELECMAN, ATTY-AT-LAW, Springfield, Ky.

Will practice in the courts of Washington and adjoining counties and in court of Appeals.

MARSHALL DUNCAN, —LAWYER—

Springfield, - - Ky.
Office in Robertson Building.
Will practice in the Courts of Washington and adjoining counties and in the Court of Appeals.

S. M. CAMPBELL, AUCTIONEER, Springfield, Ky.

Crying of public sales a specialty.
"Will buy anywhere." Terms reasonable. Phone 84.

J. E. SHELBY, —BREEDER OF— Duroc Swine. SPRINGFIELD, KY.

Booking orders for Spring Pigs now. EITHER SEX.

WE PRINT SALE BILLS AND PRINT THEM RIGHT

JOHN Y. MAYES, Funeral Director —And— Licensed Embalmer, SPRINGFIELD, - - KENTUCKY

Best Attention.
Every courtesy shown.

Handsome Line of Caskets and Burial Robes.
Telephone: Day, 19; Night, 74.

The SUN ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

You Read the Other Fellow's Ad

You are reading this one. That should convince you that advertising in these columns is a profitable proposition; that it will bring business to your store. The fact that the other fellow advertises is probably the reason he is getting more business than is falling to you. Would it not be well to give the other fellow a chance

To Read Your Ad In These Columns

Your Stationery

Is your silent representative. If you sell fine goods that are up-to-date in style and of superior quality it ought to be reflected in your printing. We produce the kind that you need and will not feel ashamed to have represent you. That is the only kind it pays to send out. Send your orders to this office.

All the News Every-thing that happens in the home town; the births, marriages, deaths, the social affairs, the comings and goings of the people—your neighbors; the notes of the schools and churches; all these and many other new and interesting things this paper will give you

Where Are Your Interests

Are they in this community? Are they among the people with whom you associate? Are they with the neighbors and friends with whom you do business?

If so you want to know what is happening in this community. You want to know the goings and comings of the people with whom you associate, the little news items of your neighbors and friends—now don't you?

That is what this paper gives you in every issue. It is printed for that purpose. It represents your interests and the interests of this town. Is your name on our subscription book? If not, you owe it to yourself to see that it is put there. To do so

Will Be To Your Interest

A Business Proposition

Did you ever stop to think, Mr. Business Man, that the news of your business is as much a part of the local events as a wedding or a church fair? The ladies are just as much interested in a new fabric you have on the shelves as they are in any home happening. Your store news and announcements in these columns will reach a large circle of eager buyers. This will enable you to sell your goods while they are new and fresh and you will not have to sacrifice later at remnant counter prices. Think it over.

much interested in a new fabric you have on the shelves as they are in any home happening. Your store news and announcements in these columns will reach a large circle of eager buyers. This will enable you to sell your goods while they are new and fresh and you will not have to sacrifice later at remnant counter prices. Think it over.

Who will be President?

This is a presidential year, and every man must read to keep posted on politics. The

Courier-Journal (HENRY WATKINSON, Editor)

Is a Democratic Newspaper, but it prints the news as it develops. One dollar a year is the price of the

Weekly Courier-Journal

But you can get that paper and

THE SUN

BOTH ONE YEAR FOR
\$1.50

If you will give or send your order to this paper—NOT to the Courier-Journal.

Daily Courier-Journal
\$6.00 a Year.

Sunday Courier-Journal
\$2.00 a Year.

We can give you a combination cut rate on these if you will write this paper.

The Louisville Times

Is the liveliest afternoon paper published anywhere. It prints the news right up to the minute. Four or more editions every day. The regular price of The Times is \$5 a year, but you can get The

Sun and Times

BOTH ONE YEAR FOR
\$5.00

If you will send your order to this paper—NOT to The Times.

In Presidential Year 1908— Those Who Want the TRUTH Should Read "An Independent Newspaper"

THE EVENING POST DURING THE YEAR 1908.

COSTS LESS THAN ONE CENT A DAY

FREE—A New Kentucky Governor's Wall Atlas.

From Isaac Shelby to Augustus E. Wilson.

All of Kentucky's Governors. The only complete collection now in existence.

Every Kentucky should have a copy in his home or office.

JUST OFF THE PRESS is the new Kentucky map.

Engraved especially for the Evening Post at a cost of \$2,500.

In addition to this up-to-the-minute Kentucky map and pictures of all Kentucky's Governors, the complete census of all Kentucky towns is given, with pictures of all the Presidents of the United States, Rulers and Kings of all nations, steamship routes, statistical data. In addition to the above there are nine maps of equal value, including the Philippines, Porto Rico, Hawaii, Alaska, late maps of the United States, Panama Canal, Eastern and Western Hemispheres, reports of the last three national censuses and much other historical information.

This unique and valuable Atlas is FREE to ALL EVENING POST SUBSCRIBERS. If not now a subscriber, send \$1.50 for a full year's subscription by mail, or \$2.00 for six months' subscription. Understand that these rates are by mail only and that subscription price by carrier or agent is 15 cents per week.

The Evening Post is first in everything; has the most State news and best most reports.

A daily newspaper for the home.

The Evening Post, LOUISVILLE, KY.

Special Price On Atlas and Evening Post With This Paper.

THE POST AND THE SUN,

BOTH ONE YEAR,

\$3.50

THE BEST BUSINESS SCHOOL

ON EARTH

The best school on earth is the one that gives the best course in the shortest time and smallest expense and prepares the young people for the best positions.

CLARK'S SCHOOL OF BUSINESS gives a complete course in the latest and most up-to-date system of Actual Practice Bookkeeping and Shorthand, and places all graduates in good positions, having many more calls than graduates.

School is in Session all the Year. Individual instruction and Enroll students any day.

Get full particulars from the editor of this paper or Rev. Granville W. Lyon or write direct to the school, 1035 Fourth Avenue, Louisville, Ky.

THE SAFEST AND QUICKEST WAY TO

TRANSFER MONEY

IS BY

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE

FOR RATES APPLY TO LOCAL MANAGER

CUMBERLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO.

To The Members of The Burley Tobacco Society:

The Executive Board of the Burley Tobacco Society recommends that no member of the Society shall sell his warehouse receipts or transfer his tobacco to anyone:

- 1st. Because our tobacco is selling rapidly; we have to this date sold at marked prices 24,000 hogheads out of the 32,000 hogheads.
- 2nd. Because we have little tobacco left of grades below 16 to 30 cents.
- 3rd. Because the 1907 crop will grade much higher than the 1906.
- 4th. Because the 1908 crop has been eliminated beyond our highest expectation.

This advice is given to protect those who may not be informed.

Executive Board of The Burley Tobacco Society, CLARENCE LeBUS, President.

A Terrible Picture.

The Commoner: The president paints a terrible picture of the demoralizing influence of ill-gotten wealth. He pictures the multi-millionaire who has grown rich by immoral means as "the least admirable of all our citizens, a man of whom it has been well said that his face has grown hard and cruel, while his body has grown soft; whose son is a fool and whose daughter a foreign princess; whose nominal pleasures are at best those of a tasteless and extravagant luxury, and whose real delight, whose real life work is the accumulation and use of power in its most sordid and least elevating form."

And who is this man whom the president pictures? He is the beneficiary of privilege, the child of favoritism in government. And how does he secure privilege and favoritism? By contributing campaign funds to the party which will sell him the right to exploit the country. Which party has been doing this? The republican party, whose leaders are now conspiring to prevent any remedial legislation. These same influences are seeking to dominate the democratic party, but they find the democratic masses incorruptible and therefore their effort is frustrated.

HAPPY HOLLOW.

We are having some warm weather at present.

Mr. Tom Brown and wife, of Fairview, spent last Monday and Tuesday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Keeling, of this place.

Misses Pearl and Myrtle Armstrong spent Saturday night and Sunday with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Perkins, of near Willisburg.

Miss Hallie Keeling is spending two weeks with her grandfather, Mr. Tom Brown, of Fairview.

Born, to the wife of Mr. Bob Robertson, on May 28, a boy.

Several from this place attended the decoration at Rockbridge Saturday.

There will be preaching at the Hillsboro church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Settles and little daughter, Mary, and son, Tom, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ferrell, of Willisburg.

Mrs. Solomon Kay's and two children spent last Wednesday with Mrs. John Armstrong, of this place.

Mr. John Yeager and daughter, of Antioch, spent from Thursday until Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Bob Robertson, of near here.

There was a large crowd out to the Sunday school at Hillsboro church Sunday afternoon.

WILLISBURG.

The decoration which was held at this place Thursday afternoon was well attended.

Rev. Lowens delivered a very interesting sermon here last Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Tatam and children spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Settles, at this place.

Mrs. Mollie Settles and little daughter spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ferrell, here.

A good many from this place attended the decoration at Rockbridge Sunday afternoon.

Will Noe and Miss Addie Keeling, of Springfield, spent Thursday with

Miss Elizabeth Shirley.

T. J. Miller and wife attended church at Thompsonville Sunday.

Dr. W. W. Hyatt and family are spending a few weeks at French Lick Springs, Ind.

Miss Tavis Goodlett is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Shirley.

Miss Edith Brown, of Shelbyville, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Rose Ann Hughes, at this place.

Miss Oma Ruby visited Miss Sarah Keeling a few days last week.

Tomy Colvin spent Saturday night with relatives at this place.

The gift of an additional \$500,000 by John D. Rockefeller for the Rockefeller Institute of New York was announced at a meeting of the trustees of the institute last night. The gift makes a total of \$4,500,000 donated by Mr. Rockefeller, and will be used for the erection of an additional building.

Alan Creech, who is on trial at Jackson for murder, and Beech Hargis, whose case is set for Monday, attempted suicide in their cells at jail by swallowing a large quantity of whiskey and morphine. Creech also obtained a razor and tried to cut his throat. Creech was taken to court a raving maniac from the effects of the drug and was strapped to a cot during the progress of the argument.

Five States will hold Democratic Conventions this week to elect national delegates to the Denver Convention—Nevada at Carson City to-day, Idaho at Twin Falls, Louisiana at Baton Rouge and Maryland at Baltimore on Wednesday, and Utah at Salt Lake City on Saturday. Democratic primaries will be held in Virginia on Thursday.

MAN THE NATION REQUIRES.

John A. Johnson the Ideal Occupant of the Presidential Chair.

As president, Gov. Johnson would have the qualities that might be described as logically and historically needful at this time, representing both in thought and by concrete achievement all of the progressive reforms to which the American people are now thoroughly committed. His personality and his methods are such that, coming into office after the strenuous and even terrifying political and financial experiences of recent years, he would be prepared to hold all that has been gained, restore an era of good feeling and smoothly and comfortably prepare the way for such additional advanced legislation as the times require. In a word, Gov. Johnson is precisely the kind of a leader the nation requires at this time, ready for new legislation to meet new needs, but careful and conservative in his methods. The same confidence-inspiring, vote-getting attributes that have made Gov. Johnson so popular in Minnesota that there is absolutely no question that he could carry the state as the Democratic presidential nominee will make him equally popular with the voters of the nation, once they have an opportunity to become acquainted with the man.

Every political campaign has its individual conditions. It is found in this contest that Gov. Johnson possesses a strength peculiar to him alone and by which he is certain to bring to the Democratic party upwards of a million votes in the middle west that have hitherto been Republican. This condition insures beyond a reasonable doubt victory for Democracy and Gov. Johnson in the following states: Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Montana, Washington and Michigan.

SUBSCRIBERS FREE COLUMN.

C. L. Grundy, Rt. 1, has for sale 50 good shoats.

Sherman Martin, Springfield, has for sale a good milk cow.

C. L. Brady, Rt. 3, has for sale from 500 to 800 bushels of corn. Will sell in any amount, from half bushel, up.

W. P. Hatchett, Mackville, has for sale 45 head of young steers.

A. L. Perkins, Rt. 3, has for sale a good 3-year-old milk cow, with 3rd calf.

CANARY.

Mr. Henry Stumph, wife and child, spent Sunday with Mr. W. T. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Milton were with Mr. O. Milton and wife Sunday.

Miss Hattie Logsdon returned home Sunday after visiting her aunts, Misses Lillie and Bessy Sweeney, near Mackville.

Miss Della Logsdon was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Nellie Logsdon, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Bell Lanham has returned home after spending several weeks with her son, Mr. James Lanham.

Miss Audrey Canary was the guest of Miss Grace Arnold near Mackville Saturday night.

Mr. John Tobin sold 25 lambs, averaging 74 pounds, to Mr. Hugh Stiles at six cents.

Mr. W. T. Phillips and Mr. Robert Milton were in Lebanon Monday on business.

Mr. Austin Clark and family spent Sunday with Mr. Taylor Masters and family.

HILLSBORO.

There will be a decoration at the Hillsboro cemetery Saturday afternoon, June 6.

Bro. Williams will preach at this place Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Sunday school will be held at 2 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited.

Mrs. Ethel Pinkston, of this place, left Monday for Decatur, Ill.

A very large crowd attended the decoration at Rockbridge Saturday.

Mrs. Esther Coulter spent Friday with Effie Hines.

Mrs. Mollie Settles spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother at Willisburg.

Mr. Sanford White spent Sunday with his cousin at this place.

MT. ZION.

There was quite a hail storm last Friday evening.

Miss Gooding, of Lancaster, continues the guest of Miss Lydia Williams, of this place.

Mrs. Robertson, of Illinois, is visiting her brother, Mr. Bailey Pinkston.

Mr. Frank Arnold and wife were in Springfield Monday.

Miss Blanche Bonta returned home last Tuesday, after a several weeks' visit in Lexington and in near Harrodsburg.

Several from here attended the decoration at Willisburg Thursday and at Rockbridge Saturday.

Mr. Ivan Keeling and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Pinkston.

Hiner Neale and Green Hays attended county court in Springfield Monday.

Mrs. Ella Twemey and children, of Lexington, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bonta, of this place.

Mr. Clarence Mitchell, our hustling trader, was around last week buying lambs.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve Wins.

Tom Moore, of Rural Route 1, Cochran, Ga., writes: "I had a bad sore come on the instep of my foot and it could find nothing that would heal it until I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Less than half of a 25 cent box won the day for me by affecting a perfect cure. Sold under guarantee at Hayden & Robertson's drug store."

The Senate passed the Aldrich-Vreeland currency bill by a vote of 43 to 22, this action being taken after a day devoted to a filibuster against the measure. Senators Stone, of Missouri, and Gore, of Oklahoma, occupied the time of the Senate after 7:03 o'clock yesterday morning, when Mr. La Follette retired. Mr. La Follette broke the record for long speeches, holding the floor continuously for eighteen hours and forty-three minutes.

The Springfield Sun, \$1.00 per year.

CAPTAIN WAS A DIPLOMAT

Also a Good Sailor If He Knew His Business as Well as He Knew Women.

The wife of one of the directors of the line was a passenger. She was an imperious woman, accustomed to having her own way, and when the ship began to roll she sent forthwith for the captain. A steward came instead. She scorned the steward and demanded the captain's presence immediately. The purser was the next sacrifice, and after he, the third officer, and the first officer had all retired discomfited, with a flea in the ear, as the saying is, the captain came. By this time the rolling had increased, and the lady's voice was beginning to sound far away.

"I wish you to stop this rolling at once," she said to the captain.

"Madam," said the captain, "a ship, as you know, is feminine, and if she wants to roll, I fear that I can't more stop her than I can help coming here when you wished to see me."

It was a naive bit of flattery directed at her weakest point, and despite the green tinge of her complexion that foretold an immediate attack of mal de mer, the woman smiled.

"Very well, sir," she faintly murmured, closing her eyes, "let—let her roll."

EAST AND WEST OF FIJI.

East of Fiji life is one long, lotus eating dream, stirred only by occasional parties of pleasure, feasting, love making, dancing and a very little gardening work. Music is the soul of the people, beauty of face and movement is more the rule than the exception, and friendliness to strangers is carried almost to excess. Westward of the Fijis lie the dark, wicked, cannibal groups of the Solomons, Banks and New Hebrides, where life is more like a nightmare than a dream; murder stalks openly in broad daylight, people are nearer to monkeys than human beings in aspect, and music and dancing are little practiced and in the rudest possible state.—National Geographic Magazine.

SO FAR AWAY.

"I have seen some queer fossilizations of the human race in my time," said the sunburned man, "but I ran across a bunch down in Florida that just about tops the list. It was at Port Orange, sleepy little town that was settled a couple of hundred years ago by the Minoreans. A lot of the old inhabitants have never been 25 miles away from the houses in which they were born. One of them asked me where I was from. 'New York,' I said. 'New York,' he repeated, as though he had a dim recollection of having heard of the place before. Then he added: 'I should think you would find it mighty onhandy livin' so fur away!'"

SIMILARITY.



"The new bookkeeper is a regular encyclopedia."

"Smart, then?"

"No—very thick." — Philadelphia Press.

JEW MASTERS OF CHESS.

The chess championship has been retained in Jewish hands for the last 42 years. Steinitz held it for 28 years till 1894, and Lasker has been champion ever since. Dr. Lasker attributes this predominance of the Jewish genius in chess to the fact that its rules are entirely based upon those of self-defense in the struggle of life, and the Jews are adepts in this art.—Jewish Chronicle.

MATTRESS BALD, TOO.

Mrs. Benham—What are you going to do with that hair restorer?

Benham—I'm going to use a little on my head and the rest on that hair mattress of ours.

LOCUST GROVE.

Mesdames Bettie Gibbs and Sallie Thomas, of Springfield, spent Saturday morning with Mrs. Bessie Burch and attended the decoration at Willisburg in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leachman were guests of A. L. Litsey and wife Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ora Morrill and Frances Litsey were in town Saturday.

Mitt Leachman, accompanied by Miss Susie Edgerton, attended the lecture at Willisburg Saturday night.

Mike Fitzgerald was in Springfield



I have in my hands for sale a number of very fine Washington county farms, and if you are thinking of buying a farm it will pay you to call to see me before buying. I am prepared to quote some bargain prices on a few of the best farms in Washington county.

B. D. LAKE, THE REAL ESTATE MAN.

WOL WANTED!

The farmers of Washington and adjoining counties will do well to communicate with one of the undersigned before disposing of their wool. We want wool and will pay the highest prices. Will receive at points to suit farmers.

W. S. GIBBS, MCCLURE & MAYES
SPRINGFIELD, KY.

A Money-maker for Agents.

"THE OLD WORLD AND ITS WAYS"
By William Jennings Bryan.

576 Imperial Octavo Pages. 251 Superb Engravings from photographs taken by Col. Bryan.

Recounting his trip around the world and his visits to all nations. Greatest book of travel ever written. Most successful seller of the generation. Four European in Four MONTHS! The world's largest. Write at once for "Territory" and "Agent's Outfit."

AGENTS' OUTFIT FREE—Send fifty cents to cover cost of mailing and handling.

Address,
THE THOMPSON PUBLISHING CO.,
ST. LOUIS, MO.

Commissioner's Sale! Washington Circuit Court, Ky.

Sarah Settles, Plaintiff, vs. Grace Settles, et al., Defendants.—Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of the Washington Circuit Court rendered at the February term thereof, 1908, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer, for sale at the court house door in Springfield, Ky., about the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., or thereabout on

MONDAY, JUNE 22, 1908, the same being county court, upon a tract of six and twelve mounds, and bounded and described as follows:

A tract of land situated in Washington county, Ky., and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone in the middle of a drain, corner to J. S. Sutton, then S. 54 1/2 W. 12.52 poles to a beech tree, corner to J. R. Davis, thence N. 33.51 W. 43 E. 13.58 poles to the middle of Mayes creek, thence up said creek as it meanders S. 23 1/2 E. 14.8 poles, S. 35 1/2 E. 3.48 poles, S. 15.50 chains to the mouth of a branch, corner to Mrs. Raybourn, thence up said branch or drain S. 52 1/2 E. 1.86 chains to the beginning, containing 11 acres, 2 rods and 2 poles; the same being the land which was conveyed to A. F. Settles by J. S. Sutton of date the 23rd day of September, 1902, recorded in Deed Book 48, page 383, in the office of the Washington county court.

For the purchase price the purchaser or purchasers, with approved security or sureties, must execute bonds bearing legal interest from date of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. A lien will be retained on land for which bond is executed. Bidders will be required to comply promptly with these terms.

M. G. LEACHMAN,
Master Commissioner Washington Circuit Court.

How to Cure Your Piles

Due Often To Carelessness or Neglect and Subduer to Cure

"The knife is not always necessary to cure even desperate cases of piles," says a physician whose years and experience make him an authority. "Indeed," he says further, "I have known some very aggravated cases of long standing cured by a simple home remedy that restored to the bowels easy natural daily movements."

"And the doctor is right, as many letters from cured people in various parts of the country prove. If sufferers from piles, rectal tumors and ulcers would try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin they would often save themselves the terrible pain and danger and the heavy expense of a severe surgical operation."

"Piles are often due to constipation and are always aggravated by it. Easy natural movements of the bowels such as are invariably produced by this famous laxative without pain or gripe do much to restore a normal healthy condition to the bowels and thus cure piles."

M. H. M. Moweaue, Ill., writes: "I have been troubled all my life with piles brought on by constipation. I tried many doctors and numerous remedies, but found no relief until I used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I have used it as a laxative and stomach remedy for over nine years and have no more troubles with piles." H. N. John, Minneapolis, Kan., says he suffered for four years with piles which were so bad that he could not work. Four bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin cured him, and he says he has not been bothered since."

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a safe sure remedy for constipation, restoring easy natural daily movements in the worst old chronic cases, yet so mild and pleasant to take mothers give it to their babies with splendid results. It is sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Fulton Syrup Co., 202 Canal Bldg., Monticello, Ill., will send a free sample to anyone who has not used it and will give it a fair trial.

For sale by The Red Cross Drug Store.

INDESTRUCTIBLE RECORDS

Edison, Columbia, Phonograph

RECORDS

E. M. RUSSELL, Springfield, Ky.